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AN ANGRY SCENE IN COUNCIL CHAMBER

MORESBY AND HUMBER EXCHANGE COMPLIMENTS

Secret Session Proves No Secret—Recriminations Lead to Accusations

The monotony of council in session was rudely shocked last night when the aldermanic body of Victoria was treated to a series of verbal pyrotechnics by two of its number, to wit, Ald. Moresby and Humber. The heat engendered was so intense that both combatants were speedily reduced to simmering ashes, and the mayor, with a friendly word, had the temerity to approach the combustible factionists and succeeded in silencing, if not appeasing them.

Alderman Moresby was the aggrieved party, but his accusations against the other divided the honors of that position. The best that was achieved in actual expression was "contemptible person" and "liar," but it was obvious from the outset of hostilities that both men were laboring under the terrible disability of an inadequate vocabulary.

To Alderman Moresby belongs the distinction of bringing about the first "scene" in the council for the year 1911. Rising to a question of privilege with copies of the Times and the Colonist in his hand, he said there was something he desired to say in regard to statements that had appeared in the press in connection with the secret meeting called by the council to consider the position of the city engineer. Said he:

"I do not propose to disclose what took place at that meeting. I feel in duty bound not to disclose anything. I am not in the habit of paying much attention to what appears in the newspapers, especially in regard to myself, and I would take no notice of the present instance if it did not couple my name with the name of another gentleman."

He thereupon quoted the articles from the two papers, in which it was stated that he had first of all attempted to get another official and then turned round and moved an increase in salary for the present incumbent of the office. Commenting upon these paragraphs he said emphatically: "I desire to give these statements a categorical denial. There is not a word of truth in them."

Having finished with the quotations he turned to the council and proceeded: "I do not propose to discuss what took place at that secret meeting"—although by a process of elimination he appeared to be unconsciously doing so—"but I do propose to call attention to what I consider the contemptible action on the part of some member of this council. We were in secret session and in honor bound not to disclose anything that took place during the session. I have reason for stating that I believe I know that the person who made these statements——"

"Is Alderman Humber," shouted the bearer of that name with proud gusto.

"Yes, Alderman Humber," replied the other, now thoroughly incensed at the laughter which the unconcerned confession of his colleague had evoked. "Not only did he do that," continued Alderman Moresby, "but he attempted to get a boost for himself out of it."

"You lie," cried the accused alderman, and the thunder of his voice reechoed through the chamber, "You are not telling the truth."

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SHOOTS HIMSELF WHEN ARRESTED

Homesteader Ends His Life Rather Than Face Charge of Forgery

(Special to the Times.)

Swift Current, Sask., April 29.—C. G. Sadlemyer, a homsteader at Burradon, a farming district southeast of here, shot himself yesterday when placed under arrest by Corporal Snedden charged with forgery. He died instantly.

Sadlemeyer saw the police coming, and he took a revolver from a bureau drawer, but his wife took it from him and placed it back. When arrested he took time to change his clothes and he and his wife went into the room together. He sent her out to tell the corporal that he had a receipt for the money in question, and as soon as his wife left him he reached for the gun and shot himself through the breast. He never moved after. His wife is prostrated. She is only 17. Sadlemeyer was 24. They kept a restaurant here last summer.

PETROLEUM DROPS.

New York, April 29.—The Standard Oil Company announced to-day a reduction of fifteen cents per 100 gallons in refined petroleum.

GOVERNMENT WILL CONSULT WITH CITY

IN DISPOSITION OF THE RESERVE LANDS

Mayor Morley Interviews Premier McBride and Gets a Promise of Consideration

Mayor Morley took the opportunity of communicating with Premier McBride yesterday, first by letter and then in an interview, in regard to the government's intentions respecting the disposition of the Songhees reserve, and was assured by the premier that before anything was done the city would be thoroughly consulted on every point.

This gratifying information was given the council last night by the mayor and Alderman Langley, who accompanied him to interview the premier. The mayor stated that he had taken the action in view of the early departure of the premier for the coronation. First of all he wrote a letter calling the attention of the premier to the importance of the situation in regard to the city of Victoria, particularly in respect to the arrangements for terminals for the transcontinental lines and also in respect of the proposed bridge across the arm.

At the interview, as related by Alderman Langley, the premier promised that nothing would be done in regard to the disposal of the lands of the reserve without first consulting with the city, and that as soon as Mr. Todd, the landscape artist of Montreal, whose advice it was proposed to have in regard to the laying out of the lands of the reserve, arrived to undertake his work the city would be notified. Any developments that might take place in the meantime would be made known to the city by Hon. Dr. Young, the provincial secretary, who had been instructed to keep the city in touch with anything that might take place in relation to the reserve lands.

The question of a park was also mentioned and it was agreed that that would have to be gone into very fully.

"So far as the government is concerned," said Alderman Langley, "the premier assured us that the city would have every consideration and that no plans would be adopted without first consulting with the city. During his absence the committee would be empowered to deal fully with the matter, and in the event of and dissatisfaction arising he could easily be communicated with by cable."

The statements of the premier at the interview were set forth in a letter to the mayor which was read at the council. His attitude was regarded as generally satisfactory.

FATHER GETS SHARE OF SON'S ESTATE

Judgment Given by Court of Appeal in Singular Action

Vancouver, April 29.—It would seem that when a man is considered legally dead he ought to remain dead, as resurrection appears only to cause trouble. At least this seems to have been the case of the father of Charles G. Orr, who died intestate in this city in November, 1907, leaving a wife and one daughter. Under the inheritance laws the bulk of the estate went to the father instead of to the widow and daughter, but the father had been absent from Canada for many years and the last heard of him was in the United States in 1888. In March, 1908, when R. B. Ellis, official administrator, was called upon to make distribution of the estate, he received affidavits from Mrs. Orr and others, setting forth that to the best of their belief Mr. Orr, senior, was dead. On these affidavits Mr. Ellis was ordered to settle the estate and he distributed $4,500 in equal shares between mother and daughter. A month later the supposedly dead Mr. Orr turned up and brought action to have the letters of administration of his estate revoked and for an order directing the money paid out by Mr. Ellis to be repaid to him. By judgment of the lower court the money was directed to be repaid to Mr. Orr and Mr. Ellis as administrator, was forced to bear the brunt of restitution. Against this Mr. Ellis appealed and the Court of Appeal in a judgment handed down yesterday morning unanimously allowed the appeal and set aside the judgment against Mr. Ellis, though allowing it to stand in other respects. It was held that Mr. Ellis had only obeyed the order of the court.

CANADIAN RECIPROCITY BILL.

Washington, D. C., April 29.—President Taft began to-day a canvass of the senate situation with reference to Canadian reciprocity. Senators Owen of Oklahoma, and Gallinger of New Hampshire, talked with him to-day. Senator Owen will support the bill, while Senator Gallinger said he would not.

—Montreal Herald.

NEIGHBORLY

TAFT—Weather backward over there, too!
SIR WILFRID—Well, it might be warmer, but my garden's coming along nicely, thanks.

SUFFER HARDSHIP DURING HURRICANE

FISHERMEN TELL OF BATTLE WITH STORM

Number of Vessels Wrecked on Shore of Gulf of Mexico

New Orleans, La., April 29.—Fierce encounters with a lashing hurricane and angry seas, two nights of exposure and hours of hunger and thirst were the lot of a score of fish and oyster men on the Gulf coast fleets during the West Indian gale of Tuesday and Wednesday. Stories of suffering among crews of the wrecked steamers and oyster luggers are coming in to-day, brought by men who succeeded in reaching villages after a long fight in the gale off shore. Numerous patrols are chugging throughout the bays and inlets to-day in search of many fishermen believed to have taken refuge from the hurricane and unable to reach home.

Dispatches from Biloxia tell of the return last night of Daniel Corenflo, son of a prominent packer, who with the crew of the schooner Arapahoe, had a terrible experience during the hurricane.

Losing their bearings and blown from their moorings they ran short of provisions and subsisted on boiled shrimps for three days, the only drinking water available being that which they caught during the downpour. Oscar Colson of Scranton, Mass., captain of the schooner Reindeer, was near the Arapahoe when his anchor line parted during the terrific blow, when the Reindeer drifted two days and nights across the long stretch of Louisiana marshes and bayous to Catfish pass. Colson reached Biloxi last night after rowing more than forty miles in a small skiff to carry relief to his crews. He was nearly famished and exhausted.

A pleasure party in a schooner anchored near Chandelur Island when the blow started. The hurricane became so fierce that the crew was forced to cut away the masts to prevent capsizing. Water and provisions had been exhausted when a passenger launch was signalled to tow them to Ship Island.

Six good-sized schooners were blown on the beach at Pass Christian. Several of them had cargoes of oysters and nearly all were seriously damaged.

CLOSED ON MAY DAY.

London, April 29.—The stock exchange will be closed on Monday "May Day."

DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION MEET

NUMBER OF CHANGES IN PRIZE LIST

New Match for Individuals and Teams—Competition Open to Members of Navy

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, April 29.—Changes in the Dominion Rifle Association prize list for 1911 were announced to-day. In addition to certain changes in figure targets, figure target will also be used in the Borden match at 600 yards and in the military matches. The dimensions of the bullseye on the targets will remain the same as last year. All matches will be open to members of the navy. The first range in the Governor's match will be 300 yards instead of 200 yards. The prize list for judging distance competition has been increased to 46 prizes instead of 36, and $250 instead of $160. Col. Tilton offers field glasses for this competition.

The active service competition for quick firing will be known as the Lieut. Colonel Ross active service competition.

Lieut. Colonel I. G. Ross, 1st Battalion Fifth Regiment Royal Highlanders of Canada, contributes $250 towards this prize list. Team entries will close one hour previous to the opening of competitions.

A new match has been added, viz: "City of Ottawa Coronation Match," for individuals and teams, ranges 800 and 900 yards. Team prize $500 and cup, individual prize gold medal, both presented by the corporation of the city of Ottawa. In addition $1,000 in cash prizes will be added to the match by the D. R. A.

The Macdougall match has been added to Kirkpatrick competition for affiliated association teams.

The city of Ottawa coronation match has been added to the grand aggregate. Provincial lieutenants will not be eligible for a place on the Bisley team unless they qualify within one year of their appointment.

In the revolver match any ammunition will be allowed. Conditions formerly restricted ammunition to factory loaded. In the running man competition only rifles eligible for regulation competitions will be eligible, in accordance with section 9 of general regulations.

GRADUATING CLASS.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, April 29.—The graduating class at Wycliffe university last night included R. B. Day, Vancouver.

HUNDREDS DEAD OR WOUNDED

REBELS SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES AT CANTON

Two British Torpedo Boats Have Been Dispatched to Scene of Trouble

Hongkong, April 29.—Li, the Taotao, has been assassinated by the rebels. The gates of the city have been closed. The loyalty of the troops is doubted and this fear has caused much excitement among the peaceful inhabitants of Canton.

Refugees arriving here confirm earlier reports of the rising at Canton which appears to have been instituted by anti-Manchus who went to that city from Macao and Hongkong and spread the revolutionary propoganda among the troops at the time when they were nursing several grievances.

Hundreds of rebels have been killed or wounded in the fighting which began with the attack on the viceroy's palace on Thursday. Brigadier General Chung was mortally wounded while attempting to suppress the revolt and died yesterday.

Two British torpedo boat destroyers have been sent to Canton from here.

Mr. Babcock of Chicago has returned from Canton. There was still an air of suppressed excitement.

Orders were issued to suspend navigation on the river after the outbreak, but the British consul insisted that the vessels in Canton be permitted to take away tourists there. This request was granted, and the vessels were packed with persons desiring to flee the city, while three million others crowded Shamien, the foreign concession on the point above Canton.

Many Reported Killed.

London, April 29.—A special dispatch from Hongkong says that the revolutionary outbreak at Canton was promptly suppressed after numbers of persons had been killed and many arrests made.

The dispatch adds that the rising is believed to have been premature, and spoiled plans for a larger revolt. Foreigners in Canton are reported to be perfectly safe.

Gunboat Sails.

Washington, D. C., April 29. — The United States gunboat Wilmington sailed to-day from Hongkong for Canton to render any assistance necessary to American citizens on account of the disturbed conditions at the latter place.

POACHING IS NOW A THING OF PAST

NO BOATS INSIDE LIMIT SINCE EDRIE'S CAPTURE

Fishery Commissioners Returning to Ottawa After Patrolling the West Coast

Employing tactics that have had the desired result of stopping all poaching by American vessels along the West Coast, Fishery Commissioners G. W. Miller and H. P. Cousins, who were sent west by the Dominion government, have now completed their patrol on the steam whalers Germania and Sebastian, which returned to port yesterday afternoon. They will both leave for Ottawa to-night on the Princess Royal, after having spent three months on the coast.

Mr. Miller, when seen this morning by a Times representative, said: "It is the opinion of Mr. Cousins and myself that the patrol instituted by the Dominion government following the representations made by British Columbia federal officials, has demonstrated to the American fishermen that it is far safer to keep outside the three-mile-limit than attempt to drop their lines overboard in Canadian waters. During our cruise in the whalers we have sighted many foreign fishing vessels, but they have always been well outside.

"Following the unexpected capture of the Edrie by H. M. C. S. Rainbow, the Americans have evidently deemed it more advisable to stay outside, as it is a heavy loss to the owners when such craft as these are seized. After what I have seen off the coast I am convinced that poaching has at last been stopped and that the Americans will give us no further trouble in the matter. As we have done once so we can do again, and if the fishermen persist in stealing our fish why then we will arrange different methods to prevent them carrying on their nefarious work."

It is gratifying to know that the commissioners are able to give such a favorable report. The plans were worked out quietly and carefully, and it was not until the Edrie was seized that the public was aware that the government was patrolling the coast for poachers.

When reports that unlimited poaching was being done by the American vessels off the west coast of this island were received, H. C. Brewster, M. P. P. for Alberni, together with F. H. Cunningham, Dominion fisheries in-

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TWO STEAMERS REPORTED WRECKED

Italian Vessel Lost Off Cape Vilano—Unknown British Steamer Also Lost

London, April 29.—The Lloyd's agent at Corcubian, Spain, reported to-day that two steamships have been lost off Cape Vilano, a promontory at the northwestern extremity of the Spanish peninsula.

One of them is the Italian vessel F. S. Ciampa, which was bound from Penarth, Wales, for Genoa, with a cargo of coal.

The identity of the other ship is not known.

Dispatches from Madrid last night told briefly of the wrecking of a big English steamer at Corcubian. No details have as yet been received here, nor is it known whether there was any loss of life. The F. S. Ciampa was a boat of 2,500 tons.

Another Report.

Madrid, April 29.—A dispatch received from here from Vigo says that a big English steamship, the identity of which has not been established, has been wrecked on Cape Villano, on the northwest coast of Galicia. The dispatch adds that it is not known whether there were any fatalities.

WOMEN BEATEN TO DEATH.

Lakewood, N. J., April 29.—All this section of this state is being searched to-day for the slayer of Mrs. Charles Turner, who was found clubbed to death in a woods near here. The motive for the crime has not been determined.

Mrs. Turner was an attractive woman of middle age, the wife of a responsible employee on the estate of Geo. Gould. She was taking a short cut through the woods to make some purchases in a local store. There is every indication that she struggled desperately with her assailant, her waist being badly torn off, her neck and bosom were scratched and lacerated and her finger nails were torn

PRISONERS NOW DECLINE TO TALK

ALLEGED DYNAMITERS OBEY ORDERS OF COUNSEL

Attorneys Who Will Assist in Defence Are on Way to Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Cal., April 29.—Calmly awaiting future developments and whatever there may hold in store for them, John McNamara, secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Workers, and his brother, James McNamara, union iron worker and printer, charged with a series of murders by dynamite, are obeying the letter of the instructions of their attorneys and refuse interviews to all other persons. This course of silence has been strictly adherred to, except in the case of a few union labor men, whom John McNamara has seen and talked to in the jail.

Judging from the reports of the officers in whose charge the prisoners are, none of the men are nervous about the charges which they must face before judge and jury. All including Ortie McManigal, the so-called "Harry Orchard" of the case, are said to be possessed of good appetites and sleep soundly at nights. They pass their time as their individual preferences dictate, by reading, writing, smoking and an occasional game of solitaire at cards.

When the total forces which are to engage in the battle over the men's alledged guilt all are gathered here, several days hence, the first court step in the case will be taken. This will be the formal arraignment. So far as announced the only attorneys retained by the defence are Job Harrison of Los Angeles, O. N. Hilton of Denver, and Clarance Darrow of Chicago. The latter as chief counsel. Harriman is the only one in this city at present. Hilton is at his home in Pomona, Calif., and Darrow is on the way from Chicago, both being expected here Monday.

Nothing more definite regarding the line of defence has been stated other than that it will try to prove that it was gas which caused the explosion in the Times building here.

Although District Attorney Fredericks is busy preparing for the prosecution, his work probably will gain an impetus with the expected arrival here Monday of his assistant, W. Joseph Ford, from Indianapolis. It is thought that Ford will bring with him considerable documentary evidence against the men possibly a copy of the alleged Chicago confession of McManigal.

Although Fredericks declares there is no reason for a change of venue, there continues to be much public discussion of the matter. The local papers refer to the subject frequently and various other southern countries have been mentioned as likely places for the trial. The final view of the matter taken by the defence has not been given.

There is considerable speculation regarding the possible arrest of others in connection with the Los Angeles case, as it has been announced that the authorities have under surveillance three Californians, one of whom, it is said, lives in Los Angeles, and the others in San Francisco.

Union men are restrained in their remarks about the alleged dynamiters, most of their attention being taken up just at present with other local matters, such as the trials of a number of men on the charge of violating the city's anti-picketing ordinance. They content themselves by saying that they will not let the accused men lack any personal comforts.

COLD WAVE HAS REACHED MANITOBA

Sudden Change In Temperature—Snowfall Will Be of Value to Farmers

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, April 29.—The cold wave which developed in Alberta reached Manitoba last night, and though only one or two degrees of frost were reported the change from 80 in the shade of yesterday afternoon was very sudden.

Twelve degrees of frost was reported last night at Edmonton with from eight to ten degrees in southern Alberta, but it was much milder in Saskatchewan and considerable snow falls over wide areas of that province will be of great value to farmers.

Welcome Snow and Rain.

Saskatoon, Sask., April 29.—Twenty-four hours of soaking snow and rain provided needed moisture for crops in this section. The crop was not suffering, as there was plenty of under moisture from the heavy winter freeze, but there had been no rain yet this spring and the present soaking, while not absolutely necessary for a month, will have the effect of banking up a further supply of support for growing rain in case it is needed.

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Church Services

ANGLICAN.

St. John's, corner of Douglas and Fisguard streets. Preachers: Morning, Rev. P. Jenns, the rector; evening, Rev. A. J. S. Ard. The music follows:

Matins.

Organ—Prelude .....
Venite ..... Hindle
Psalms for 30th Morning .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... Russell
Benedictus ..... Garrett
Hymn 165
Kyrie ..... Burnett in G
Gloria Tibi ..... Burnett in G
Hymns ..... 286 and 172
Organ—Postlude .....

Evensong.

Organ—Prelude .....
Processional Hymn 12
Psalms for 31st Evening .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Cantate ..... Crotch
Deus Misereatur ..... Havergal
Anthem—O, Ye That Love the Lord.
..... Taylor
Hymns ..... 179 and 223
Amen ..... Burnett
Vesper ..... Burnett
Organ—Postlude .....

St. James', corner of Quebec and St. John streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8; matins, litany and sermon at 11; Sunday school at 2.30; evensong and sermon at 7. The music follows:

Morning.

Organ Voluntary .....
Venite and Psalms .... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... 1st Alternative
Benedictus ..... Langdon
Hymns ..... 126, 390 and 231
Organ Voluntary .....

Evensong.

Organ Voluntary .....
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat ..... Barnby
Nunc Dimittis ..... Felton
Hymns ..... 227, 225 and 246
Vesper Hymn ..... Caffire
Organ Voluntary .....

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., matins at 10.30 a. m., choral eucharist and sermon at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—Pastorale in D Flat ..... Crossley
Communion Service ..... Maunder in G
Hymns ..... 598, 163, 257 and 166
Offertory Anthem ..... Maunder
Nunc Dimittis ..... St. John
Organ—Great and Glorious ..... Haydn

Evening.

Organ—Andante ..... Philip Tietz
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis .....
..... Dr. Bunnett in F
Hymns ..... 624, 170 and 619
Offertory Anthem ..... Fitzgerald
Vesper—I Will Lay Me Down in Peace.
Organ—All We Like Sheep ..... Handel

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. Holy communion at 8 a. m.; matins, litany and sermon at 11 a. m., preacher, Rev. W. Barton, M. A.; evensong and sermon at 7 p. m., preacher, the Dean. Order of services:

Matins.

Organ—Andante ..... Salome
Venite and Psalms—As set .....
Te Deum ..... Smart in F
Benedictus ..... Lingard
Hymns ..... 526, 620 and 162
Organ—Postlude .....

Evensong.

Organ—Pastoral ..... Guilmant
Processional Hymn 695
Psalms—As set .....
Magnificat ..... Stainer in F
Nunc Dimittis ..... Stainer in F
Hymns ..... 166, 159 and 189
Recessional Hymn 592
Organ—Postlude ..... Latour

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of Our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanchard streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sermons at both services by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone. Morning subject, "Security in God"; evening subject, "The Child Moses, a Type," being the second of the course in the message of the Book of Exodus to the men of to-day. The music follows:

Morning.

Organ—Andante ..... Beethoven
Venite—As set ..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum—XXXIV. ..... Mercer
Benedictus—VII. ..... Mercer
Hymns ..... 216, 553 and 552
Organ—March ..... Handel

Evening.

Organ—Andante ..... H. H. Chandler
Hymn 331
Psalms—As set ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat—I. ..... Mercer
Nunc Dimittis—I. ..... Mercer
Hymns ..... 309, 367 and 223
Doxology ..... XVI.
Organ—Postlude ..... A. W. Marchant

CONGREGATIONAL.

First, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard streets. Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., pastor, will preach at the morning service. The theme will be, "The Most Popular, the Most Absurd and the Most Useful Institution of the Day—What Is It?" At the evening service Dr. Spencer will preach on the subject, "A White Province." Sunday schools, adult Bible class for women and men's own Bible class for men at 2.30 p. m. Monday at 8 p. m., Y. P. S. of W. W.'s devotional meeting. "Lives of Great Men—Joshua," will be the subject. Tuesday at 4 p. m., B troop Girl Guides; at 7 p. m., A troop Girl Guides. Tuesday at 8 p. m., social gathering for the friends and members of the church and congregation. All are invited. Wednesday at 7 p. m., troop 7 Boy Scouts. Thursday at 8 p. m., prayer meeting. Friday at 7 p. m., troop 8 Boy Scouts; at 8 p. m., choir practice. Strangers, friends and visitors cordially welcomed here.

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. Andrew's, corner of Douglas and Broughton streets. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A., will occupy the pulpit at both services. Strangers heartily welcome. The musical selections are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—Reverie in B Flat ..... Hackett
Psalm 68
Anthem—Peace I Leave With You..Clare
Soprano Solo, Mrs. A. A. Codd.
Hymns ..... 213, 22 and 5
Organ—Prologue ..... Bohm

Evening.

Organ—Chant Sans Paroles ..... Haskett
Psalm 96
Anthem—O, Come, Let Us Sing.....Foster
Bass Solo, Alfred A. Codd.
Hymns ..... 185 and 149
Solo—Teach Me to Pray ..... Jewitt
Miss Logan.
Organ—Nuptial Postlude ..... Greig

Knox, 2625 Stanley avenue. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Young men's class at 10 a. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Thursday, prayer service at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially invited. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., minister.

St. Columba, Hulton street, Oak Bay. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. All in the neighborhood are cordially invited to these services and to the Bible class, which meets at 2.45 p. m. The pastor, Rev. R. A. McConnell, will conduct the services as above.

St. Paul's, Henry and Mary streets, Victoria West. Rev. D. MacRae, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school and adult Bible class at 2.30, and Y. P. S. C. E. at 3.15 p. m.

First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Adult Bible class after the morning service. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Young People's Guild on Monday evening, when an address will be given by Thornton Fell on Asiatic immigration. Congregational prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Strangers are cordially invited to the meetings.

METHODIST.

Centennial, Gorge road. Pastor, Rev. A. Henderson. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. At the close of the usual service in the evening there will be a reception of new members and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 2.30 p. m. Prayer service on Thursday at 8 p. m. The music follows:

Morning.

Anthem—Hymn of the Home Land .....
..... Sullivan

Evening.

Anthem—But the Lord Is Mindful (St. Paul) .....
Solo, Miss B. Palmer.
Solo—Face to Face ..... Johnson
Miss Miller.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, B. A. Services as follows: 10 a. m., class meetings; 11 a. m., public worship; 2.30 p. m., Metropolitan Sunday school; 2.45 p. m., Belmont avenue Sunday school; 7.30 p. m., public worship. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at both the morning and evening services. There will be a reception service for new members in the morning. Those having church letters with them and desiring to place their names on the roll of the church are invited to meet the pastor in the vestry before the morning service. Music for the day as follows:

Morning.

Anthem—Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Has Come ..... Elvey

Evening.

Anthem—There Is a Green Hill Far Away ..... Booth

A hearty welcome for all strangers and visitors especially invited.

Victoria West, corner of Catherine and Wilson streets. Rev. James A. Wood, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Service of song by the choir at 7.15. The subject in the morning will be "The Need of Growing Faith," and in the evening, "Joseph in Prison," an interesting story, especially for young men. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2.30. Monday evening the Epworth League will hold the monthly consecration meeting, which will be conducted by Miss S. Beattie, when a contest on the Life of Joseph will be held. There will also be a reception of new members. Prayer and praise service on Thursday evening. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

James Bay, corner of Michigan and Menzies streets. A. N. Miller, pastor. Men's class meeting at 10.15 a. m. At 11 a. m., the pastor will preach on "The Duty of Uniting in Church Membership," after which a reception service will be held, followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school and adult classes at 2.30. At 7 p. m., Rev. T. Griffiths, a student from Columbian College, will preach. Epworth League service on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held at the parsonage, 306 Menzies street. The usual Thursday evening prayer meeting will be cancelled this week on account of the Sunday school convention to be held in the Metropolitan church that evening. Choir practice on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

BAPTIST.

Emmanuel, corner Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Pastor, Rev. Wm. Stevenson. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Preacher, Rev. Dr. Cameron, of Boston, Mass. Sunday school, 2.30. Young ladies' Bible class, 2.30; teacher, Mrs. Wm. Marchant. Young men's Bible class, 2.30; teacher, W. J. Chave. B. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m., "Why Some Men Don't Find Wives," Robert Peters. Prayer service and address, Thursday, 8 p. m. Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m. The music follows. Leader, Fred. Parfitt; organist, Miss F. Wood:

Morning.

Organ .....
Holy, Holy, Holy .....
Hymn 49—Awake, My Soul .....
Anthem—O, Saviour of the World...Goss
Hymn 23—Praise the Lord .....
Hymn 13—Through All the Changing Scenes of Life .....
Organ .....

Evening.

Organ .....
Hymn 19—Praise, My Soul .....
Anthem—From the Rising of the Sun.
..... Ousely
Organ .....
Hymn 74—God Is Love .....
Hymn 170—How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds .....
Organ .....

First, temporary building, corner Quadra and Yates streets. Rev. John B. Warnicker, B. A., pastor. Public worship tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Spencer, of Vancouver, will speak at the morning service on the subject "A White Province." In the afternoon at 3.30 o'clock a special service for the members of the I. O. O. F. In the evening at 7.30 the monthly service for young people, when Mr. Warnicker will preach on the subject, "War, Would Its Abolition Be in the Best Interests of Humanity?" Sunday schools—Home, Burnside and Victoria West—at 2.30 p. m. Ladies' Philathea, men's Baraca and adult Bible classes at same hour. Mission service, Burnside, 7 p. m., conducted by Rev. H. R. Thorpe. Young people's meeting, Monday, 8 p. m. Women's Mission Circle, Tuesday, 3 p. m. Ladies' Aid sale and concert, Thursday afternoon and evening. The music is as follows:

Morning.

Anthem—The Lord Is My Shepherd.
..... Smart

Evening.

Solo—Thou Shall Break Them ... Handel
Jos. Muir.
Anthem—Show Thy Servant ..... West

LUTHERAN.

St. Paul's, Mears street, between Quadra and Vancouver. Lord's day services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The morning service will be in German; subject of sermon, "The Unity of the Church of God." English devotional service in the evening; subject of sermon, "The Prosperity of Dishonest Men." The Ladies' Society will meet on Wednesday evening at the manse, 1013 McClure street. All friends of the society are likewise cordially invited. Strangers and visitors are welcome at all our services. Rev. Otto G. M. Gerbich, pastor.

Grace, English, corner Queen's avenue and Blanchard street. Services will be held both morning and evening as follows: Morning service at 11 o'clock; subject of sermon, "David's Heavenly Pastoral"; evening service at 7.30, subject, "Two Stumbling Stones on Life's Way." The Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock during the summer months. A cordial invitation to all services is extended to the public. Rev. William C. Drahn, pastor.

UNITARIAN.

First Unitarian church, Unitarian hall, 1239 Government street (next to Bowes' drug store). Service on Sunday at 7.30 p. m.; subject of address, "A Cry From the Deep," by A. J. Pineo. All interested in liberal Christianity and advanced theology are cordially invited. Visitors always welcome.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 935 Pandora avenue. Service Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock noon. Testimonial meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Subject for April 30th, "Everlasting Punishment." Beginning Sunday, May 7, there will be a regular Sunday evening service. All are welcome.

OTHER MEETINGS.

Salvation Army, citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., holiness meeting; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., praise meeting; 7.30 p. m., salvation meeting. Public meetings during the week on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at 8 p. m. Staff-Capt. Hayes, Capt. Knudson and Lieut. Reid will conduct the week-end services.

W. C. T. U. Men's Mission. Bible class will not meet Sunday, but there will be a rally of W. C. T. U. workers and all those interested in mission work in the city at 3.30 p. m. Preaching service at 7.30 p. m. James Crooks, preacher; D. L. McPhee, soloist.

Society of Friends, Courtney street. Meeting for worship every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; mission meeting at 7.30 p. m.; adult school for men, 9.45 to 10.45 a. m.; children's school, 3 to 4 p. m. A welcome to all.

Pemberton chapel, Royal Jubilee hospital. Divine service at 3 p. m., conducted by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The public are accorded a hearty welcome.

Aged Women's Home, 837 McClure street. Divine service at 3 p. m., conducted by Rev. J. A. Wood.

Watch Tower Readers and International Bible Students meet for study in room 5, Lee building, corner Broad and Johnson streets, Sunday afternoon and evening at 3.30 o'clock and 7 o'clock. All welcome. No collection.

Spiritualism, 734 Caledonia avenue. R. H. Kneeshaw lectures at 8 p. m.; subject, "Larry O'Rourke's Adventures." All are welcome to those meetings.

Psychic Research Society, A. O. F. hall, Broad street. Services at 8 p. m. Mrs. Jackson, speaker. Messages after the lecture.

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TELEGRAPH TOLLS INQUIRY POSTPONED

Adjournment Necessary Owing to Lack of Detailed Information

Toronto, April 29.—The general inquiry into telegraph tolls being conducted by Isaac Pitblado, K. C., of Winnipeg, before the Dominion railway commission, has been postponed indefinitely. Mr. Pitblado was unable to continue his investigation into the affairs of the Great Northwestern to a conclusion yesterday as he had not been able to read the contract between the Grand Trunk and the Great Northwestern. He also wanted a mass of detailed information from the C. P. R., which it will take at least a month or six weeks to provide.

There was quite a long argument as to how far back the C. P. R. should be compelled to dig into their cost accounts. Chairman Mabee did not think it was material what the company was earning 25 years ago. The point was what it was earning now.

After a short consultation, however, Dr. Mills, D'Arcy Scott and Commissioner McLean apparently overruled him as he announced that a majority of the board were of the opinion that the C. P. R. would have to dig down to the day of their birth.

The question of the separation of the cost of construction of telegraph lines as distinct from the railway business is going to be very difficult, as the C. P. R. run their telegraph business apparently merely as a branch of the railway company.

It was finally decided that as soon as Mr. Pitblado had sufficient information to resume the inquiry he should notify the board and a date would be set for the next session.

CHANGES LIKELY IN AUSTRALIAN CABINET

Difference of Opinion on Question of Enlarging Powers of Government

Melbourne, April 29.—The defeat of the policy of the Commonwealth government advocating the enlargement of the powers of the federal authority has been of so crushing a nature that the suggestion has been put forward in political circles that the government ought to resign, as it has to all intents and purposes lost the confidence of the people.

The attorney-general, Mr. Hughes, however, scouts the idea, holding that the referendum does not necessarily involve the government in the same way as a platform adopted for the purpose of a general election. He holds that the people were not fully aware of the issues laid before them, and he will consider seriously whether the question shall not be re-submitted to the country.

The cabinet, it is said, is by no means unanimous on the point, and the party causus is known to be sharply divided so that some changes in the personnel of the cabinet are not beyond the bounds of probability.

Mr. Hughes has earned some measure of unpopularity for himself in consequence of his vigorous championship of the government's proposals, and in Sydney has been the recipient of unwelcome attentions of a mob, who pelted him and knocked his hat off.

The victory of the opponents of the policy set forth in the referendum has been so complete that the labor leaders are dumfounded. All the states, with the exception of Western Australia, have recorded such an overwhelming majority against the government that one of the planks on which the government hoped to win is not likely to be heard of again, namely, the unification proposal. Even in the strongholds of the labor party there was but lukewarm support accorded, and the utmost the party leaders were able to accomplish in the way of campaigning only served to accentuate the lack of enthusiasm of their followers. In financial circles it is openly stated that the rejection of the policy will have the effect of restoring the confidence of the moneyed community, and that investors are now more likely to emerge into the open. In the building trade it is asserted that renewed activity is already apparent.

DR. BORDEN PRESIDENT.

Halifax, N. S., April 29.—Rev. Dr. B. C. Borden, who for many years was principal of Mount Allison Ladies' College, Sackville, N. B., has been appointed president of the Mount Allison University in succession to Dr. David Allison, who resigned a year ago.

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THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Never take your troubles to bed with you. Carry them all day if you are so disposed, but the last thing before retiring take them off, hang them over the back of a chair with your coat, or put them in between the mattresses with your trousers, or drop them in the glass of water with your false teeth; some one may get in and rob you during the night, and you can have the pleasure of finding new trousers, new teeth, new troubles, everything new.

A still better way is to pile all your troubles on the table before you, before going to your sleeping room, all the sins you are sorry for, all the calamities you dread, all your sicknesses, and debts, and heart-aches; and then get all your wife's, and your husband's and your relatives' troubles, and all the affairs that worry you in the city and state and nation and the world, and all your doubts of heaven and fears of hell; pile them on the table; then stand over them and weep, copiously, until you have moistened the mass sufficiently to knead it into a big, round ball; then take the ball up into your bedroom; and open the window; and look out, and you will see a huge opening called the Infinite, strewn with shining worlds; throw your ball into this, where it will be swallowed up in your heavenly Father's love and care; for you will find in a great Book these words: "Cast all your care upon Him, for He careth for you." If He cares, why should you care? So doing you will USE the Infinite. Isn't it rather stupid to go through life making no more use of the sky and stars than if they were some strange picture? Why not use the Infinite, as well as wheat and beef?

LITIGATION OVER GROUP OF MINES

Plaintiff Begins Suit at Seattle, Asking Judgment for $203,000

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—Thos. Hodgens of Butte and New York, filed suit yesterday against Myron K. Rogers of Seattle, a mining engineer long associated with Marcus Daly at Butte and later with the Guggenheims in Alaska, asking for a judgment of $203,000 against Rodgers and an order restraining Rodgers from foreclosing a mortgage against the Hidden Creek mining group. The complaint alleges that Hodgins furnished $417,000 to Rogers to purchase and develop British Columbia mines, and that Rogers declines to account for any of the money except that which was used in purchasing and developing the Hidden Creek Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company.

SHORT SHRIFTED GAMBLERS.

Government by Commission Closed Oklahoma Town in One Day.

Muskogee, Okla., April 29.—Public gambling is ended in Muskogee. It was stopped in fifteen minutes. Commission form of government did it. Prize fighting and boxing contests are no more.

Ernest Cook, commissioner of public safety, is the head at the police department, and is charged with the responsibility of enforcing the laws. Cook is getting results sought for years but never attained under the old form of government.

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RAIL MILL TO BE CLOSED.

Birmingham, Ala., April 29.—Orders were issued yesterday by the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company to close down the steel rail mill at Ensley to-night. This action will throw about 2,500 men out of work. The reason given for this shut-down is that the company has "completed all its rail contracts available for immediate rolling." The statement issued by Vice-President Crockars said it is probable operations will not be resumed before some time in June.

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The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

OBSTRUCTION AT OTTAWA.

The decision of the opposition at Ottawa to obstruct the progress of business in parliament in the hope of forcing an appeal to the constituencies on the reciprocity agreement makes the issue clear. It is simply a question whether the government, supported by a large majority in the House of Commons, or the Conservatives, in a minority, shall rule. With all his "sunny ways," the Prime Minister possesses an iron will. When he determines upon a course, the leader of parliament is not lightly to be turned from what he considers the pathy of duty. In the case under consideration, Sir Wilfrid intimates that he considers Canada is entitled to the first charge upon his services. Hence if parliament is to be kept in session in the hope that in that way the partisan purposes of the Conservative party can be best fulfilled, the Prime Minister will remain at the post of duty. It would of course be unfortunate if the man who has been the chief, the outstanding, figure at Imperial Conferences in the past should be debarred from attending the sessions of the Conference to be held this summer, but in such a contingency the responsibility will rest where it properly belongs. Perhaps it may even be considered necessary, as some of the British newspapers have suggested, to postpone the Conference.

Mr. Borden has insinuatingly suggested that the trade relations of Canada with the rest of the Empire may be of quite as vital importance as freer trade relations with the United States. Such an innuendo may be fairly met with the rejoinder that in the matter of closer trade relations within the Empire Canada has hitherto led the way, entirely under the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and there has yet been no practical response from other portions of the King's dominions. We have given concrete evidence of our desire for closer commercial communion—what have the other sections of the Empire done?

If the purpose of the opposition be to force a dissolution of parliament and an appeal to the people, it is the manifest duty of the leader of the government to remain at his post. From a tactical point of view, possibly, the Conservatives are not to be censured for their attitude. It would of course be to the advantage of the government if the trade agreement with the United States were permitted to go into effect and its advantages made manifest to the electors. The administration would undoubtedly also prefer that if judgment upon the agreement is to be taken, that verdict should be given by a fair representation of all the people following a redistribution measure based upon the census about to be taken. But these are the things the Conservatives fear. They are making a last desperate stand for their discredited policy of high protection, backed up by the demands of the interests which fatten upon exploitation of the people. They are in a deplorable dilemma, facing the worst disaster that has yet befallen them.

CHURCH UNION.

Since shortly after the beginning of the present year and for several months to come three of the largest Protestant denominations in Canada have been and will continue to be deeply interested in the question of the organic unification of their respective bodies. The trend of denominational sentiment with these three bodies, Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists, has been strongly toward union, and the committee of official representatives appointed by each body has consummated its work in the formulation of a basis upon which union might be expected. The basis has been submitted to the primary courts of the various churches and will in the course of time be submitted for adoption or rejection to the membership of these religious organizations.

The basis of union involved a reconstruction of the formulas in which the doctrines of the differing sects were expressed as well as compromises in the administrative methods of the churches. How carefully and successfully, or unsuccessfully, this important work has been accomplished can be judged only by a careful scrutiny of the creed or expression of beliefs which has been formulated, and which, with the administrative basis of union, is to be submitted to the laity for final approval. One may be disposed to ask, without in any way reflecting on the methods of procedure adopted, whether the laity of these churches which it is proposed to unite are competent to express an opinion as to the doctrinal value or orthodoxy of the statement of beliefs upon which they are requested to unite. It would seem that the most that ought to be expected from these is an assent to the recommendations which the authorities of the different churches have proposed. That is all that is required of candidates for membership in any one of the uniting churches. It is not so much to the doctrine of any particular church with which they wish to associate that its members subscribe as to the general theories of Christian doctrine and the ethical code which the Christian church is supposed to stand for.

Be that as it may, however, the doctrinal bases which has been submitted for the subscription of the members of the uniting bodies is one to which no one accepting the general truths of Christianity as these have always been taught need hesitate to subscribe. If any criticism of this declaration of faith is to be made it should consist in objection to what it does not state rather than to what it does. The basis of union, as far as it has to do with doctrines, is a marvellous production. It may safely be termed the most comprehensive as well as the least definitive statement of Christian doctrine which could be prepared. The most dogmatic of Christian believers can accept it when he sees the wide latitude left for the placing of his own interpretation upon the articles of faith and the least orthdox Christian may accept it because of the mental reservations it will permit in the interpretation of its terms. Its acceptance as a statement, in full, of the doctrines of the three uniting churches will be a miracle in itself second only to the tolerance, compromise and charity which made possible its formulation. In saying this the Times is in no way reflecting impiously upon the creed. We have only superlative admiration for the genius of the men who have so stated the essential truths of the Christian doctrine as to include in them practically all that is vital and yet leave them so free from the metaphysical terminology that has ever been the embarrassment of creeds. It is needless to specify beyond the instance that neither the Calvinistic nor the Arminian systems of theology are necessarily inferrable from the terms of the new creed; yet they are both stated, by implication, for the comfort of those who believe them. Our faith in the inspiration of the Scriptures is strengthened by this modern day evidence of the fact that "Holy men spake and wrote as they were moved by the Holy Spirit."

We are the more moved to this consideration from the fact that the broad yet coherent statement of the fundamental doctrines which gave the world these three great religious denominations was not reached without severe self-searching and an imperishable love of supreme Truth. This reflection is made the more impressive from the fact that, in its inception, each of these denominations stood for something vital in the expression of religious truth. It stood, moreover, not alone for the expression of that truth, but for its emphasis. The distinguishing doctrines of the once conflicting and contradictory creeds was a necessary distinction; so necessary that for its maintenance men who saw the value of that particular perspective of truth separated themselves from their fellows and formed new religious bodies. We must not forget that, since we have reached a more full-orbed vision of truth as a whole, we owe a debt to those who preserved for us its opposite facades. While we, in our wise day and generation—wise because our fathers were foolish—deplore the fanaticism to which they sometimes enforced adoption of their religious beliefs, we must not forget that we are able to believe as parts of a symmetrical truth what must have appeared to them to be absolutely contradictory and irreconcilable. We of the rank and file, too, who are asked to subscribe to these credal liberties should experience little difficulty in doing so when we remember what it must have cost the Patriarchs in these Tribes of Israel to forego the exact statement of their beliefs which was so vital to them not more than half a century ago.

It will be remembered, however, that present-day organic unity does not mean unification; at least not altogether. But it does remove the barriers which restrained this unification up till the present time and through which the essence and spirit of all true religion has finally broken. If these denominations should consolidate there would be no longer need to keep up the constant reference to obsolete expressions of truth in order to keep intact a religious denomination. There will no longer be ground for the suspicions which have often, unfortunately, kept religious teachers and workers watching each other in order to guard their individual flocks. When this relief is fully appreciated it will be found that there will be a great deal more time in which to do vital and real Christian work.

It will now be—assuming that the union will be consummated—for the younger and rising generation to forget the pit from which they were digged in the larger sunlight of the consummation. This will not be difficult for them, although we can still fancy that it will cost the aged, who have cherished from their infancy certain forms of belief, many tears which cannot by any stretch of imagination be called unwholesome tears.

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The Seattle Times, commenting on the attempt that is being made to represent the arrest of Labor leaders in Los Angeles as a fight between capital and labor, scoffs at the idea. It says: "If these men are innocent, that fact cannot be established too quickly. They stand accused of a crime so heinous that it is without parallel in the legal history of the United States. If there has been error made in their arrest, it would be a miscarriage of justice to delay the day when they must face their fellows with their names and reputations cleaned of the awful stigma. If they are guilty, nothing should intervene to prevent immediate extreme punishment. There could be absolutely no mitigating circumstances urged in their behalf. They should be executed within the briefest time compatible with public policy."—Emanating from Seattle, that is "Sound" sense in more ways than one.

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They have a few left, even in the United States Congress. Representative Price of Illinois, speaking anti-reciprocity in the House, raised again the annexation danger. He said: "I say our neighbors on the north should be not deceived. When we go into a country and get control of it, we take it. It is our history and it is right that we should take it if you want it and you might as well understand it. The speaker has said so; the party back of him has said so; and it does not deny that that is its desire." When the U. S. gets control of a country and wants it they "take it," do they? Perhaps so, in cases like Cuba and the Philippines, but just let Mr. Price get together the Baker's Dozen of people over there who want to "take" Canada. Bring them over here. Get an aeroplane, go high enough to be above the bring line, and then watch what would happen.

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—J. Parker has been awarded the contract for a residence for Mr. Rhodie, situated on Alpha street.

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—The special committee appointed by St. Andrew's Society will meet tomorrow night in Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street. A full attendance of members is requested.

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—The charter for the recently formed Cement Workers' union has arrived and will be presented at a special meeting called for Monday evening at Labor hall.

—The first production by the Victoria Amateur Dramatic Club will be at the Victoria theatre between May 20 and 24. A rehearsal will be held to-night at the Balmoral hotel.

—To-morrow the pulpit of Emmanuel Baptist church will be occupied in the morning by Rev. J. B. Hargreaves, of Hood River, Oregon, and in the evening by Rev. H. A. Carson, of the First Congregational church.

—The subject at the B. Y. P. U. of Emmanuel Baptist church next Monday evening is, "Why Some Men Don't Find Wives." Robert Peters will give the lecture, and afterwards there will be a discussion. Everybody is cordially invited.

—The feature at the regular meeting of the Natural History Society, to be held in Friends hall, Courtney street, on Monday evening, will be an exhibit by A. H. Maynard of photographs of old Victoria, from 1862 on. This collection is a unique and interesting one.

—The date of the old Welsh custom of an Eisteddfodd at Emmanual Baptist church, has been changed to June 5 to allow applicants more time to prepare for the competitions. The best judges are being obtained for each contest, and a suitable prize will be awarded the winner of each competition. All applications are to be handed in to the secretary, R. S. Clements, by 9 o'clock Monday, June 5.

—It will be young people's night at the First Baptist church, corner of Quadra and Yates streets, on Sunday evening. Rev. J. B. Warnicker will speak on the subject, "War—Would Its Abolition Be in the Best Interests of Humanity?" Clergymen of all denominations are preaching sermons on "Peace" in response to the arbitration proposals between Great Britain and America, suggested by President Taft and Sir Edward Grey. There will be special music.

—The congregation of St. John's church has appointed the following committee to carry out building plans for the new church to be erected at the corner of Quadra and Mason streets: D. R. Ker, chairman; Major Walsh, H. B. Robertson, W. Hutchen-Smith and James Townsley. The first meeting of the new committee will be held on Tuesday evening, when the architect, Mr. Ridgway Wilson, will submit the plans for further consideration.

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Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 9 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 7.30 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer leaves of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

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Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 8.30 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle at 11.30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. meets Monday afternoon.

—A meeting of the executive of the Local Council of Women will be held in the city hall at 2.30 p. m. on Monday.

—Two fires occurred yesterday. The first did a small amount of damage at the home of George Whitfield. At 5 p. m. a roof fire started by children in the loft of an old barn, belonging to Robert Mason, 1540 Jubilee avenue, did about $50 worth of damage.

—Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to W. H. Bosworth and J. Appleyard for a dwelling on May street to cost $1,950; to J. Leigh & Son, a dwelling on Toronto street, $2,500; and to Alexander Cruickshanks, dwelling on Market street, $3,000.

—Miss L. M. Mills has just received from London the report of the prizes awarded at the Royal Drawing Society's exhibition at Westminster from April 1-22. Several of the pupils of her Saturday morning design class won honors, and as the exhibition is open to the whole Empire this result reflects much credit on Miss Mills. The following were the prize-winners: Phyllis Wollaston, two silver stars and a bronze one; Doris C. Holmes, a bronze star; design of M. Nicholson, T. Mesher and V. Mesher, commended.

—The evangelistic services, being conducted by Jas. Crooks and D. L. McPhee at the W. C. T. U. Mission, Store street, are proving very successful. The interest and enthusiasm of the workers has been kindled and lasting benefit will be the result. To-night Mr. McPhee, the soloist, will be assisted by Miss Elliot, of Metropolitan Methodist church. The song service continues to be one of the most helpful parts of the meetings. As to-morrow will be the last day of these evangelists here before returning to Seattle, the local union request a large attendance at both the afternoon and evening services, as well as at the service to-night at 8 o'clock.

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—In the big fire which occurred at Seattle last week L. G. Quagliotti of this city, lost some valuable Italian paintings which were heirlooms in his family. They were brought from Italy some years ago. Only two of the pictures were saved.

—The police have under arrest, through the energetic work of Detectives Handley and Hutchison, a man named Fisher, supposed to be the accomplice of the housebreaker Buckley, who went to jail under a three-year sentence this week for two robberies. Buckley was given time to consider his position in the hope that he would give information regarding his accomplices, but he refused to aid the police at all. The two detectives, however, kept at work and through their efforts Fisher is now in custody and will be presented on Monday.

—Thomas Dewar, an elderly resident of this city, received the welcome and unexpected news recently that he is heir to an estate in Scotland worth £10,000. Last November Dewar, on his return from Whitehorse, applied for admittance into the Old Men's Home here, but was unsuccessful. He then went to Kamloops and entered the Provincial Home for the Aged. He will now proceed to the Old Country to claim his inheritance and announces that he will use his money to develop mining properties in the Yukon. Dewar was well known to many northern travellers, and had worked as cook in all parts of Southern Yukon.

A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRING

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Not exactly sick — but not feeling quite well. That's the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order; that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Don't dose yourself with purgatives as so many people do in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in the spring is a tonic that will make new blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this speedily, safely and surely. Every dose of this medicine helps to make new blood, which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite, and makes tired, depressed men, women and children bright, active and strong. Mr. B. Martin, Deux Rivieres, Que., says: "About a year ago I was all run down. I was pale, weak, and had but little appetite. I also suffered from a severe pain in the back, and though I tried several medicines nothing helped me until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and these fully restored my health. I can strongly recommend these pills to every weak person."

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FIFTH REGIMENT, C. G. A.

Regimental Orders by Lt.-Col. A. W. Currie, commanding—Headquarters Victoria, B. C., April 26, 1911.

1—Parade. The regiment will parade at headquarters on Wednesday, May 3, at 8 p. m. Dress, drill order.

2—Discharged. The following men having been granted their discharge are struck off the strength from this date; No. 157 Gr. J. Archer; No. 188 Gr. S. S. Young; No. 198 Gr. F. Ware; No. 208 Gr. D. L. Smith; No. 247 Gr. A. Macdougall; No. 255 Gr. Geo. White.

3—Enlisted. The following men having been duly attested are taken on the strength from this date; No. 66 Gr. Bertie Norwood Cator; No. 99 Gr. Vere Warburton Carter; No. 119 Gr. Alfred Dowell.

4—Discipline. The following n. c. o. is reduced to the ranks for "disobedience of orders," from the 17th. instant: Bandmaster S. Rogers.

5—Posted. Gr. S. Rogers is posted to No. 3 company and will assume regimental number 324.

6—Range Officer. Range Officer for Saturday, 29th. inst., Capt. H. H. Woolison. Next for duty, Lieut R. P. Clark.

(Signed) P. T. STERN, Captain,
Acting Adjutant.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Worthy Residents of Salt Spring Island Are Honored.

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, two of the oldest and most respected residents on Salt Spring Island, celebrated their golden wedding. The honored couple passed the day in receiving guests. Early service was conducted at St. Mark's church by Rev. Mr. Bastin, after which the communicants, numbering seventeen in all, breakfasted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, Central Salt Spring.

Perhaps the most eventful part of the day and one which Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will always recall with peasant associations, was the afternoon tea given the students of Vesuvius public school by Mrs. Stevens, after which an address was read by one of the scholars and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, accompanied by two beautiful bouquets, one for each. A programme of a literary and musical character was then carried out very creditably by the school children, which was enjoyed immensely.

In the evening the young people of the island extended their congratulations to the aged couple, and an enjoyable evening was passed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens are natives of Kentisbeare, Devonshire. They came to Canada in 1872, and after spending eleven years in Ontario, where Mr. Stevens was in the employ of the Canada Southern Railway between Buffalo and Detroit, now part of the New York Central system, they left for Western Canada, and settled on Salt Spring Island in 1883. Since then both Mr. and Mrs. Stevens have been prominent in all matters for the welfare of education, church and state, and have won the esteem and respect of all who have had the pleasure of knowing them. Indeed the many from Vancouver, Victoria and other parts of the province who pass their holidays at the Stevens' home are well aware of their generous dispositions.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens were the recipients of many valuable presents, among which is worthy of mention a gold piece with an address from the old school. They received many messages of sincerest congratulations and hopes for a long and continued happy future.

ADDRESS TO THE KING.

The lodges of the International Order of Good Templars of the city of Victoria and its vicinity, meeting in united session in the schoolroom of the Church of Our Lord last night, unanimously resolved: "That we regret our inability to be present at the public meeting convened for this evening and assure the premier of this province of our hearty concurrence in the loyal address to be presented by him to His Majesty King George on the occasion of his coronation. And further, that the members of this international order, united for the purpose of lifting up those who have fallen through strong drink, and of preventing others from falling, though by their union in one great world-wide body, united with those who are subjects of other empires, yet are living under the gentle rule of the British throne, are as undoubtedly loyal to our beloved King as any of His Majesty's subjects, and are assured that the attainments of the objects of our order will promote its stability. We believe that His Majesty, who has said that 'the foundations of national prosperity are in the homes of the people', will recognize the efforts of those who seek to preserve the purity of home life."

—Men's overcoats, raincoats and suits are being sold to-day (the last day) of B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale at about half price. Store open to-night till 11 o'clock.

—Search is being made for Charles Coleman, aged 55, who yesterday left St. Joseph hospital without warning. He had been an inmate there some months. Inquiry as to his whereabouts proved fruitless and police aid in tracing him was sought. This morning, although the police have worked on all possible clues, no trace of the man has been found. He is about five feet four inches in height, clean shaven, with large blue eyes, and brown hair tinged with grey. He was wearing grey clothes and a soft black hat. He was the possessor of mining property at Mt. Sicker. The officers at the hospital say he has been acting strangely and latterly asked to be taken to an asylum.

—The officers elected at the annual meeting of St. John's Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions were as follows: Mrs. N. S. Burns, hon. president; Mrs. R. H. Walker, president; Mrs. Morton, vice-president; Mrs. R. Randall, treasurer; Mrs. T. Walker, recording secretary; Mrs. Sanbourn, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Morrish, Dorcas secretary; Mrs. F. Forneri, baby branch secretary; Miss Woods, C. C. mission secretary; Miss E. Woods, thankoffering secretary; Miss Woods, leaflet secretary; Mrs. Purdy and Mrs. Penketh, delegates to the diocesan board meetings; Miss Oliver, literature secretary; Miss A. L. Burns, flower fund secretary; Miss K. Andrews, junior superintendent.

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NEWS OF SPORT

INDIANS ONCE MORE DEFEAT ISLANDERS

Spokane Out-Hits Victoria—Eddie Slams Out Three Safe Hits

In what was without doubt the cleanest and fastest game of ball played in Spokane this week, the Indians won out yesterday through superior hitting. Victoria could no nothing with Bonner, except in the fourth, when they scored two runs on a scratch single, a double by Householder and two wild pitches. Householder distinguished himself by getting three of Victoria's six hits. The score was:

Victoria.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Davis, l.f.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Raymer, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Million, c.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Goodman, 3b.	4	1	1	1	2	0
Householder, 3b.	4	1	3	0	0	0
Reddick, ss.	3	0	0	1	4	1
Manes, 1b.	4	0	1	8	0	0
Hemenway, c.	3	0	0	7	2	0
McCreery, p.	3	0	0	0	1	1
*Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	24	11	2

* Batted for Hemenway in the ninth.

Spokane.

	AB.	R	H	PO.	A.	E.
Netsel, 3b.	5	0	2	0	2	0
Cooney, ss.	3	1	0	2	1	0
Frisk, r.f.	4	2	2	1	0	0
Nordyke, 1b.	2	1	1	8	1	0
Zimmerman, c.f.	4	0	2	5	0	1
Tauscher, 2b.	5	1	1	3	4	0
Kippert, l.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Hasty, c.	2	0	0	5	2	0
Bonner, p.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	30	5	9	27	12	1

Score by innings:

Spokane	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	x	5
Victoria	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2

Summary: Two-base hit—Householder, Manes. Sacrifice hit—Nordyke. Stolen bases—Cooney, Tauscher. Struck out—by McCreery, 7; by Bonner, 6. Bases on balls—off McCreery, 6; off Bonner, 3. Wild pitches—McCreery, 2; Bonner, 2. Passed balls—Hemenway. Double plays—Reddick to Raymer to Manes; Reddick to Manes. Left on bases—Victoria, 6; Spokane, 8. Time—1:50. Umpire—Longanecker.

TACOMA'S HARD HITTING.

Tacoma won its first game in Vancouver yesterday after every one of the Bengals, except Devogt, the renowned four-sacker, had nosed the ball out for at least one hit. Gordon, for Tacoma, pitched a nice game of ball. The score was:

Vancouver.

	AB.	R	H	PO.	A.	E.
Brinker, c.f.	5	0	0	3	1	0
Bennett, 2b.	3	0	2	3	3	0
Adams, r.f.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Swain, l.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Harrison, 3b.	4	0	1	1	1	0
Streib, 1b.	4	1	1	10	0	0
Scharney, ss.	4	0	2	4	1	1
Spiesman, c.	3	0	0	3	2	0
Cates, p.	4	0	2	0	7	0
Totals	35	1	9	27	15	1

Tacoma.

	AB.	R	H	PO.	A.	E.
Warren, r.f.	5	0	3	0	0	0
Bassey, l.f.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Rockenfield, 2b.	4	1	1	5	5	1
Burns, c.f.	3	2	1	1	1	1
Coleman, 3b.	3	1	1	2	1	0
McFadden, ss.	4	1	2	4	2	0
Fisher, 1b.	3	2	2	6	0	1
Devogt, c.	2	0	0	8	0	0
Gordon, p.	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	33	7	12	27	11	3

Score by innings:

Vancouver	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Tacoma	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	7

Summary: Two-base hits—Fisher (2), Cates. Three-base hits, McFadden. Stolen bases—Warren (2), McFadden. Sacrifice hits—Burns, Devogt and Adams. Sacrifice fly—Fisher. Bases on balls—off Cates, 4; off Gordon, 4. Struck out—by Cates, 3; by Gordon, 6. Left on bases—Tacoma, 7; Vancouver, 13. Umpire—Ward. Time—2 hours.

"PIPPINS" DOWN GIANTS.

Owing to timely hitting and aided by Seattle's errors, the Portland "Pippins" won their game yesterday against the Seattle "Giants." The latter came within one of tieing the score in the eighth, but the Pippins came back in the ninth with four runs and cinched the game.

The score was:

Seattle.

	AB.	R	H	PO.	A.	E.
Cocash, c.f.	5	0	1	2	1	1
Raymond, ss.	5	0	1	3	2	0
Davidson, l.f.	5	0	3	0	1	0
Bues, 3b.	5	0	2	2	3	1
Weed, r.f.	3	3	1	2	0	0
Leard, 2b.	4	1	1	1	2	2
Kading, 1b.	4	1	2	13	0	0
Shea, c.	0	0	0	3	1	0
Spencer, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Zackert, p.	0	0	0	0	2	0
Joss, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
*Cruickshank	1	0	1	0	0	0
Dickinson, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Furchner, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	5	13	27	14	4

* Batted for Joss in eighth.

Portland.

	AB.	R	H	PO.	A.	E.
Miller, l.f.	4	1	0	2	0	0
Casey, 2b.	4	2	2	0	4	0
Stovell, c.f.	4	1	0	2	0	0
Mundorff, r.f.	4	1	1	1	0	1
Williams, 1b.	5	2	1	8	1	0
Menser, ss.	5	1	4	3	4	0
Ort, 3b.	3	1	1	0	1	0
Harris, c.	5	1	1	10	0	1
Lamline, p.	4	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	37	10	11	27	11	2

Summary: Two-base hits—Weed, Williams, Menser (2), Casey, Ort. Sacrifice hits—Stovall, Ort. Six runs and 6 hits off Zackert in 2 2-3 innings; no runs and 2 hits off Joss in 5 1-3 innings; no runs and no hits off Dickinson in no innings; 4 runs and 3 hits off Furchner in one inning. Stolen bases—Mundorff, Menser. Struck out—by Zackert, 1; by Joss, 4; by Lamline, 1. Bases on balls—off Joss, 2; off Dickinson, 1; off Lamline, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Ort by Zackert; Stovall by Furchner; Shea by Lamline. Passed balls—Shea, Harris. Double play—Casey to Menser to Williams. Umpires—Kane and Shackleford.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL.

At New York—	R.	E.	E.
New York	3	9	4
Boston	9	13	2

Batteries—Tyler, Pfeiffer and Rearden; Ames, Drucke, Rudolph and Myers.

AMERICAN.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	7	3
Detroit	5	7	3

Batteries—Krapp, Harkness and Smith; Lafitte and Stanage.

COAST.

At Los Angeles—	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	3	7	2
Los Angeles	0	5	1

Batteries—Klein and Smith; Castleton and Hogan.

At San Francisco—	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	0	4	1
Oakland	2	5	2

Batteries—Pernoll and Pearce; Suter and Berry.

At Portland—	R.	H.	E.
Portland	1	9	1
Sacramento	0	8	0

Batteries—Nourse and Thomas, Lalonge; Henderson and Murray. Eleven innings.

EXHIBITION LACROSSE.

The Wards are holding an organized lacrosse practice at the North Ward park to-morrow morning. Two teams have been selected, the "Yaps" and the "Muts," and the 12 of the 24 who make the best showing will wear the blue and white against the Wests next Saturday in the first league game. The teams for to-morrow are as follows:

"Yapps."	Position	"Mutts."
Phipps	Goal	Boss Johnson
Fat Lawson	Point	F. Sweeney
Baines	Cover Point	Joe Dakers
	Defence Field.	
Blake		Doc Noel
Dinsdale		Art Dakers
H. Menzies		Ted Menzies
Pottinger		Brynjolfson
Humber	Centre	Mason
	Home Field.	
McCarter		V. Hodgson
Johnson		Jim Dakers
McDonald		E. Stevens
Kroeger		Taylor
McGregor	Outside Home	Paul Gray
Fairall	Inside Home	C. Baker
	Reserves.	
McKay		Cousins
O'Brient		B. Jones

ESQUIMALT DEFEATS REDCOAT CRICKETERS

Garrison Loses Out in Second Cricket Game of This Season

On Wednesday afternoon at the Work Point grounds the second cricket match of the season was played and resulted in a win for Esquimalt against the Garrison. The latter had the best of it in the first innings, but their bowlers were batted pretty freely in the second. W. Baker, of the Esquimalt team, was high scorer with 41 runs, and Sergt.-Major Askey, of the Garrison, close behind with 25.

The scores were:

GARRISON.

First Innings.

M. S. Macdonald b Pooley	0
Cpl. Wyndham c M. Thomas b Pooley	5
Capt. Mills b Jacques	2
Q.M.S. Roberson c Cross, b Pooley	4
Q.M.S. Askey lbw B. Jacques	1
Capt. Foulkes b Pooley	8
Sergt. Jones c M. Thomas, b Pooley	4
Gnr. Needham b Pooley	8
Capt. Harris b Jacques	3
Sergt. Youngman not out	0
Gnr. Parker b Pooley	0
Byes	2
Total	37

Pooley 7 wkts., 19 runs; G. Jacques, 3 wkts., 15 runs.

Second Innings.

Capt. Foulkes b Pooley	2
Q.M.S. Roberson b. Pooley	13
Q.M.S. Askey c Baker, b Pooley	25
Gr. Needham c Baker, b M. Thomas	7
Capt. Mills b Pooley	4
Cpr. Wyndham run out	0
Q.M.S. McDonald not out	4
Capt. Harris b Pooley	3
Sergt. Jones b Pooley	0
Sergt. Youngman c Baker, b Pooley	4
Gns. Parker b Pooley	0
Byes	6
Total	68

ESQUIMALT.

First Innings.

A. E. Thomas b Askey	3
D. Isbister c Capt. Foulkes, b Askey	5
M. J. L. Thomas c Capt. Foulkes, b Askey	16
H. Pooley c Mills, b Foulkes	2
W. Baker lbw b Foulkes	1
G. Jacques b Askey	9
G. Woodley s Needham, b Askey	6
R. Irwin lbw b Askey	0
J. Ball st Needham, b Askey	0
J. Cross not out	2
L. Palmer st Needham, b Foulkes	0
Byes	1
Total	46

Askey 7 wkts, Foulkes 3 wkts.

Second Innings.

J. Cross c Mills, b Askey	0
D. Isbister c Foulkes, b Askey	3
A. E. Thomas lbw b Foulkes	15
M. J. L. Thomas b Askey	15
W. Baker c Harris, b Askey	41
H. Pooley run out	17
G. Jacques st Needham, b Askey	2
G. Woodley c Roberson, b Askey	3
R. Irwin b Wyndham	2
J. Ball b Askey	0
L. Palmer not out	4
Byes	4
Total	102

BALL TEAMS SWITCH AROUND ON MONDAY

Beavers Play at Tacoma Sunday—Islanders Move to Seattle on Monday

To-morrow the second round in the Northwestern league battle ends. The round was all Spokane, Vancouver and Seattle, so that there seems to be some slight advantage in playing at home.

The Bengals have invited the Beavers down to their lot for Sunday's game, Sunday being a day of peace on this side of the line, and on Monday the Beavers will come home again to mix with the Pippins. Victoria goes to Seattle and Tacoma to Spokane.

When the Islanders come over to this side of the mountains again it is hoped that there will be a change in the luck. Pitchers Lane and Thomas will be in shape to enter the fray again and shortstop Kellar will have gotten over his inclination to display his skill as a juggler. McCreery has done altogether too much work in the box this week and it is to his credit that the Indians did not slam him for more than nine hits yesterday. Then Dashwood has been doing some rather raw work behind the bat, so that throughout the past week Victoria has been weakened in three of the most important departments, pitching, catching and in one part, at least, of the infield.

With Lane and Thomas pitching the kind of ball they did in Tacoma, Kellar in anything like his real form and Dashwood catching well, Victoria should have divided the games with the Indians. However, the luck must change and they may, quite possibly, get better than an even break with the Giants the coming week. Roche will be given a try-out behind the bat and if he makes good may force Dashwood out of a steady job.

—Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s clothing sale ends to-night at 11 o'clock.

CREWS ARE CHOSEN FOR J. B. A. A. REGATTA

Oarsmen Will Race Over Harbor Course on May 13—Practices Daily

Practically all the arrangements have now been completed for the J. B. A. A. regatta, to be held on May 13, over the harbor course. It is requested by C. N. Kennedy, secretary of the boating committee, that the strokes of each crew get their men together and get out as soon as possible; also that they be on hand each evening at the scheduled practice time.

The following are the crews: 1—B. Scott, [illegible] O. Sommers, (3), T. Rober[illegible] Geo. Chungranes (bow); 2—W. [illegible] (s), W. H. Howard, (3), [illegible] (2), J. McLean (bow); 3—Jo[illegible]y, (s), C. Brown, (3), B. Ea[illegible] S. E. Heald, (bow); 4—P. [illegible] (s), J. MacDonald, (3), A. W. C[illegible]n, (2), H. Pope, (bow); 5—R. Hiscocks, (s), E. Rowbottom, (3), J. Newman, (2), A. Carss, (bow).

The numbers are merely used to distinguish the teams and do not signify difference in class.

RECORD ENTRY LIST FOR AMATEUR BOUTS

Vancouver, Nanaimo and Victoria Boys Competing in B. C. Tournament

Entries for the provincial championship boxing and wrestling bouts to be staged at the Vancouver athletic club on Thursday and Friday of next week closed on Wednesday night with a record entry list. The V. A. C. will have the largest representation, both in the boxing and wrestling, but Nanaimo and Victoria will endeavor to pull down their share of the honors. Ernie Barrieu, the amatuer lightweight champion of the province, will defend his title, and will also go after the trophy in the welterweight division.

The following is a list of entries for the tournament:

Boxing.

105 pounds—Bert Hughes, George H. Bright, V. A. C.; Albert Davies, James Bay A. C.

115 pounds—Bert Hughes, Robert Fox, V. A. C.; Wm. Roberts, unattached; Len Stephens, Stanley Clements, V. A. C.

125 pounds—Wm. Roberts, unattached; C. D. Patten, V. A. C.; Will Maitman, C. H. Forse, unattached; Robert Norworth, V. A. C.; Wm. H. Davies, James Bay A. C.; Tom Scott, Nanaimo A. C.

135 pounds—C. H. Forse, G. McNeil, unattached; J. Lushington, E. Barrieau, Robt. Norworth, John Marshall, Arthur Griffin, W. J. Campbell, V. A. C.

145 pounds—E. Barrieau, F. McLaren, W. Darnley, H. C. Laidlaw, A. E. Sevin, V. A. C.; Peter E. McCarter, James Bay A. C.; D. Griffiths, Nanaimo A. C.; Thorold Perkins, unattached.

158 pounds—W. A. Weeks, James Hamilton, Gill Martin, V. A. C.

Heavyweight—W. A. Weeks, C. Sevin, V. A. C.; Alex. Dewar, unattached.

Wrestling.

115 pounds—E. Greenwell, V. A. C.; Thomas McFarlane, D. Sutherland, Nanaimo A. C.; W. J. Pilkington, unattached.

125 pounds — Percy Kay, E. W. Thompson, Ted Hitchen, V. A. C.; Jas. McLean, James Bay A. A.; John Smith, V. A. C.; W. J. Pilkington, Geo. S. Mathews, unattached.

135 pounds—A. Hatch, H. C. Laidlaw, Fred Smith, V. A. C.; W. D. Muir, Nanaimo A. C.; L. R. Fox, unattached.

158 pounds—A. J. Laurence, George Walker, H. C. Laidlaw, V. A. C.

Heavyweight—Geo. Walker, V. A. C.; Wm. A. Currie, Nanaimo A. C.

ABOUT BASEBALL

Spokane shows no signs of faltering and last year's champs are certainly getting away on the jump. Those Indian southpaws have not done as well against Victoria's left handed hitters as did the Bengals, just the same.

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Joe Cohn is going to try to make the fannettes remove their hats during the ball games in Spokane. With the present style of headgear the capacity of the stand is reduced about one third when the fair ones attend in force. Has "Wat." the nerve?

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"Bush" Thompson, outfielder, released by Nick Williams, remarked in Los Angeles that if the bunch Householder had signed could stick in the circuit the Thompson name would adorn the sport pages as speed burner in that organization. Forget all that.

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A Tacoma sport writer says: "This paucity of hits on the part of the Bengals seems to affect them on the road as well as at home. Still they are bound to get going and there seems to be at least two other clubs in the league who are suffering from the same complaint." The striped scribe has got it wrong. Victoria has long since recovered from the complaint he refers to, but seems to have slipped a cog in her fielding.

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Steve Kane asserts that it is harder to umpire in the Northwestern league than in the National. The large number of young ball players in this circuit is responsible, says Steve. He says the youngsters are not thoroughly up to the rules, and it takes about $25 in fines to impress upon them the fact that the empire is the man who is running the game. Kane used to be a player in the Central league and played with the Danville club. He has been umpiring for 11 years and is one of the best indicator handlers in the business. Kane says National league politics cost him his job in the big noise.

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The Portland Tourists have a catcher who revels in the name of Snooks. The fans are calling him Snookums. He is a reliable receiver, but the name must be an awful burden for the young man to bear, especially when the fans keep reminding him of it.

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Manager Tighe of the Giants has Mike Lynch skinned a block when it comes to size. Tighe does not try to play, though. He takes his station in the first base coaching box and earns his salary by dispensing chin music. He is some conversationalist.

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"When the Tigers strengthen two positions, outfield and shortstop, they cannot be overlooked in the race for the flag," says Eddie Householder. "Likewise forgot that smile when you read that I picked Victoria to finish in the first division, if not at the top. Why, I have two men, Ten Million and Bill Goodman, centre fielder and third sacker, who are already sought after by big league scouts, Cincinnati asking us to name a price on Million and both St. Louis clubs bidding for Goodman, who managed a club in the Mexican Cactus League last season. And the other fellows are no slouches."

(Additional Sport on page 17.)

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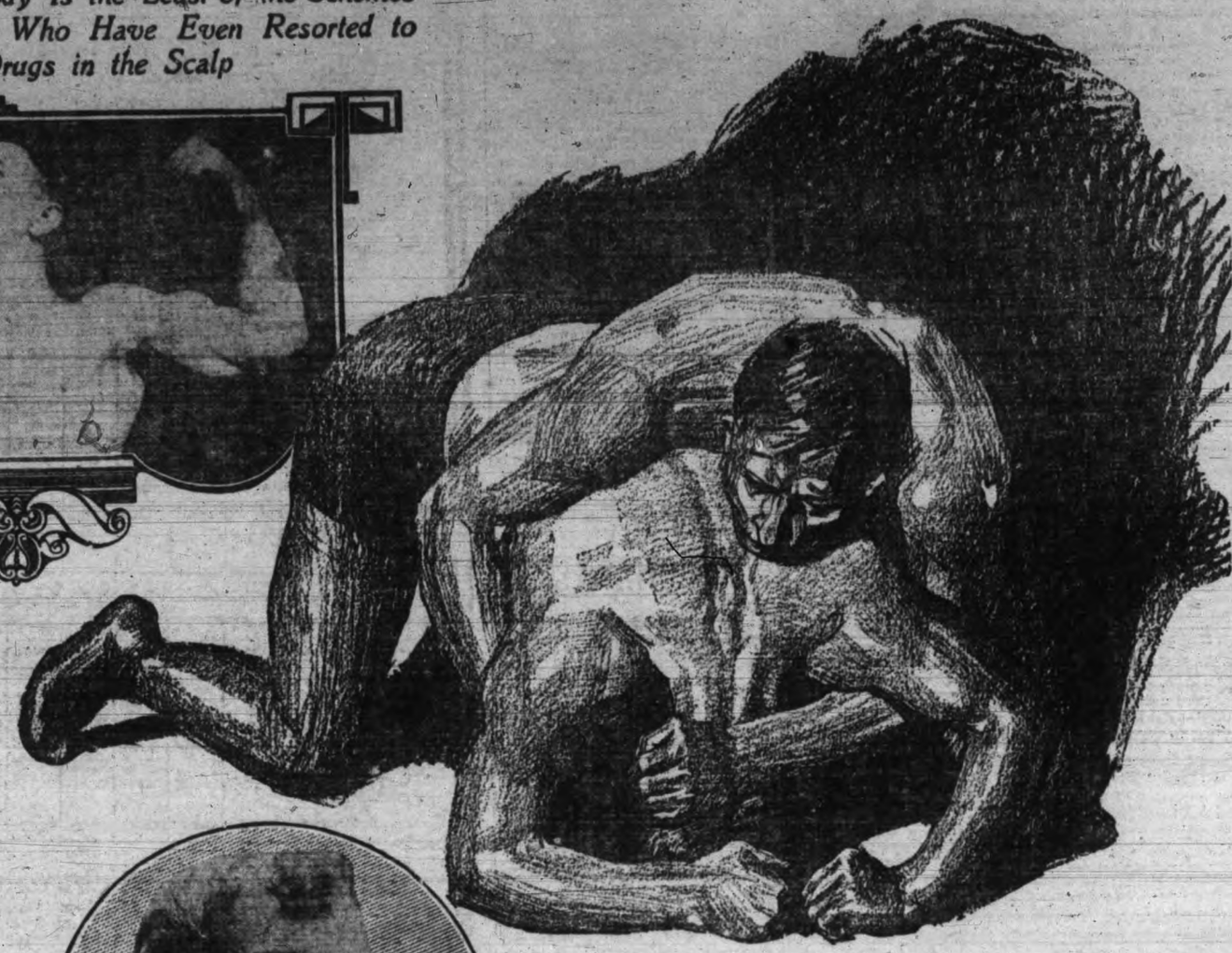
SHADY TRICKS THAT WIN IN WRESTLING

GREASING the Body Is the Least of the Schemes of the Mat—Men Who Have Even Resorted to Soporific Drugs in the Scalp

George Hackenschmidt



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"SCIENCE is fine, strength is a necessity, but it's the tricks of the trade that win," declared a wrestler as he picked himself up from the mat in the New York Athletic Club and an attendant rubbed the dust off both shoulders with a towel one night last winter.

"Now," he continued, "if that fellow hadn't had grease rubbed into his pores the last hold of mine would not have slipped and he wouldn't have got me just yet. I was stronger than he was and knew the game better. I felt that But did you ever try to hold an eel or catch a greased pig.

The brawny, hairy athlete went off still grumbling, yet he had been beaten by a trick as old as the game itself. Many attempts have been made by rule makers and referees to do away with these unfair tactics and their efforts have been partially successful where amateurs are concerned, but these reforms have turned out to be dismal failures where professionals have been involved. As in all other sports where money comes into the game, much sportsmanship flies out. These tricks of the trade are as persistent as Tennyson's brook. They threaten to go on indefinitely.

In wrestling it is the man with the gray matter who wins when he combines it with some necessary material advantages, such as physical development and condition. The latter is more or less a direct result of the possession of brains. It is the man who can think quickly and whose muscles respond almost instantaneously to the orders sent out from the conning tower of his skull that keeps his shoulders clear of the mat. In many instances wrestlers apply their intellect to a wrong end which brings victory nevertheless, but which is a sort of cross lots road to it. It is the clever man with few scruples who invents the tricks of the game. Wrestling legislators may sit up nights to defeat these tricks with cast iron, reinforced concrete rules, but the win-at-any-price exponents of the game will get around any restrictions or invent new means to outguess the lawmakers.

When that old trick of greasing the body was in its infancy the inventor and parent of it simply rubbed heavy grease over his naked torso before going onto the mat. That worked very well until referees began to insist on rubbing the men off with towels before permitting the performers to go on. But the remedy for this expedient was simplicity itself.

One night an important bout was scheduled. Why mention names? The thing has been done innumerable times since. One of the principals appeared shining and glistening like a Neapolitan barber's hair.

"Here, that will never do!" said the referee, as he caught sight of the man after he had stripped off his jersey. "What do you think this is—a greased pig contest or a wrestling match?"

He seized a towel from an attendant and rubbed the athlete dry and rough. Perhaps it was only an illusion of some of the spectators that a smile played about the mouth of the man as he was being rubbed. The bout started. The man whom the referee had dried started to perspire and soon was as slippery as the straight and narrow way. The bout was stopped, and again he was gone over with the towel. Again he perspired, and again he was glistening. The referee might as well have tried to stop the tide from rising as that grease from breaking out on his body. The wrestler was as hard to hold onto as is a dollar in New York. Finally his opponent began to tire. A hold slipped and he partly fell. The greased one took advantage of just this flaw in his man's defensive work for which he had waited. He closed in and threw him.

It developed later that the victor had had cocoanut oil massaged into his pores by his trainer for two weeks before the bout. One might as well try to interfere with an endless chain as to endeavor to stop that oil from exuding from the pores when a man perspires. This man invented the trick that has been used many times since, the one with which Hackenschmidt said Gotch defeated him.

A much more original trick than that hackneyed road to victory, but one which has been seldom used on account of the danger of detection, is that of rubbing an anaesthetic into the hair. It is hard to say how much this has been done, but "Hughie" Leonard, the coach of the New York Athletic Club wrestlers, an old professional, who went through many hard bouts in his day and is as familiar with most of the tricks of the game as any successful professional needs to be, says he knows of at least one important bout that changed the topography of the wrestling world in which one man, the defeated, was "doped" because his opponent put a mild anaesthetic in his hair.

Drugging His Adversary.

The wrestler who invented this scheme had hair that would have made seven well known sisters famous for their abundant locks jealous. He rubbed the drug into his hair and then kept pushing his head up under his opponent's nose at every opportunity. At last his man became groggy, and while he did not go under altogether he was dazed and thrown.

William Muldoon
Photo by Hall

On the Columbia University team four years ago was a man who was really clever for an amateur. His name was "Johnny" Wise. His weight at the mat side was 125 pounds. In a meet with Princeton his right hand was badly bruised. In three days the Columbia team was scheduled to meet Pennsylvania for the intercollegiate championship. The victory for the team hung on Wise's bout. It was to be the deciding one. He was badly handicapped by his sore hand and he knew that if he bandaged it the enemy would attack it and do all that he could to worry it and reopen the old wound.

Young Wise started to think. He said that the idea came to him the night before the meet, as such things sometimes will. After all, it was simple but effective. He bandaged up his good hand meticulously and left the injured one unencumbered. His opponent knelt on the good one with the bandage on it, he jumped on it, and, in fact, he did everything but bite it. Wise smiled at the success of his scheme. The sore one, which carried no red cross sign, was untouched, and Wise won his bout, which only led on to the Columbia team winning the meet.

Wrestling used to be a more popular game than it is now. Almost twenty years ago William Muldoon, who now is the proprietor of a health factory in White Plains, where he rejuvenates overworked, overfed or overdrunk specimens of the human race, met Clarence Whistler in Madison Square Garden for the heavyweight wrestling championship of the world. The big amphitheatre was packed to the dome for the famous bout, and much money had been wagered on the outcome. The men wrestled for seven or eight hours and then some one turned out the lights. It was a draw, but one of the fiercest bouts ever wrestled, according to those who saw it.

Ernest Roeber
Photo by Willy

Many persons have wondered what caused the big pockmarks on Muldoon's chest, still there to-day. Whistler rubbed a drug into his hair which ate into Muldoon's chest. Then Whistler kept gouging him with his head, tearing open the skin and letting the drug have a chance to do its work on the raw. The intention was to cause Muldoon to lose his temper on account of the pain that the burning of the drug would cause, but the big fellow was too good a wrestler. Like a Spartan, he let the stuff burn into him and smiled.

"I like that perfume you've got on your head," he said once when Whistler bored his head in, "but I think it's an effeminate habit."

As in prize fighting, talking is a measure frequently resorted to by wrestlers in the hope that it will cause a man to lose his temper. This is a result to be desired in any sport, for once a man's temper is gone his chances of victory usually go with it. One wrestler, especially one of the old school, will call his opponent all sorts of hard names and will often include a brief sketch of the family back a generation or two to try to force him to let go the grip on his temper. These, it might be said by way of a digression, were the tactics employed by "Young Corbett" when he fought "Terry" McGovern the first time, and the latter became so roiled at the reflections on his family tree that he lost his temper and waded in. Then his opponent simply waited and beat him.

Leonard met Matsada Sorakichi for the middleweight championship of the world in Rochester twenty-two years ago. The Jap was a catch-as-catch-can wrestler and his methods were rated as more effective than gentle. When the referee called the men to the centre of the mat he bent down and pretended to tie his shoe. Leonard was taken in by the trick and stood idly waiting for him to finish, when suddenly the Jap straightened up with the characteristic quickness of his race and butted into Leonard with his shoulder, catching him off his guard and knocking him off the mat out into the scenery and benches. It was a jar that would have put an ordinary man out and was quite a jolt for a trained wrestler. As Leonard came back to the mat Sorakichi said:—

Frank Gotch
Photo by Richard

"How do you like that? It's only a starter."

"I like it all right," Leonard replied. "I felt sort of sleepy, and it may wake me up a bit. Try it again."

This sort of repartee between the two contestants was kept up for two hours, until neither had breath enough to talk. Leonard finally got a fall out of the Jap. But each was too wily to lose his temper.

Hackenschmidt and Gotch.

Wrestling is no parlor game, especially as employed by professionals. Hugh Leonard says that it has been demonstrated time and again that a wrestler can beat a prize fighter in a rough and tumble fight where there are no rules and no referee. That is, in short, in a street or barroom squabble. The wrestler knows better how to use all parts of his body. The fighter has to depend on hands alone.

Many wrestlers have a habit of butting with the head and shoulders. While this is against the rules, it is almost impossible to stop it, and these jolts are very hard on a man. This butting, like a bull, is used more or less by all wrestlers. When Gotch, a catch-as-catch-can wrestler, met Hackenschmidt, of the Graeco-Roman school, in Chicago two years ago, in a catch-as-catch-can bout, the latter asserted that Gotch gouged his chest. Again with the authority of Leonard, it is very doubtful if this was the case. Most wrestlers butt, and it is considered to be fair. Gotch had a big advantage over his opponent in that match, as he was a catch-as-catch-can exponent. In the Graeco-Roman school holds below the waist are barred

"The game is no child's play," said he recently. "A man to be a successful wrestler, has got to be tough—tough all over. If there is a flaw or a weakness in his physical or mental make-up an opponent will find it. A man must be rough to win. A professional purposely tries to injure his opponent, and in this way he finds out his weak places. That is what he is looking for and to conceal his own. It is the man with no 'grooves' who wins. That trick of oiling the body spoils almost all the arm and neck holds which are so important to wrestling.

"In saying that a man must be rough I mean that, when he finds out a weakness in the enemy he does everything that he can to accentuate and aggravate and irritate it. Many wrestlers get their ears torn. This broken cartilage is very painful. When a man meets another with a sore ear he uses what is called the side chancery hold. This is nothing more or less than cuffing and worrying the sore ear in order to get the man to lose his temper. It is against the rules to take hold of the ear, but one may box it. I have seen a man get so irritated at these tactics that he has rushed his opponent like a bull, losing his head and pushing him off the carpet. A man might just as well lie down when his opponent has worked him up into such a state of frenzy.

A striking example of the effect that such an injury may have upon a man's winning ability, no matter how game he may be, was the case of R. C. Norton, who represented Columbia University in the 115-pound class last winter. He was not thrown until the team met the Middies at Annapolis. Then a young midshipman in a burst of enthusiasm nearly tore Norton's left ear off. Norton did not win another bout throughout the season. He was a quick tempered young man naturally, and a few cuffs on the sore ear, masquerading under the name of side chancery holds soon caused him to lose his temper on account of the intense pain caused by the broken cartilage. There was no way in which he could hide this mark for opponents, and the ear was torn in every subsequent bout. It was simply a case of a man having a weak place and being unable to conceal it.

Not long after the trick of oiling the body had been discovered some wise wrestler turned up an antidote that not only remedied the slippery evil but had a punch in itself. Realizing the non-skid characteristics of rosin, this man rubbed some on his hands when he thought that his opponent was greased. They stuck like fly paper wherever he put them. That was the antidote, but it was not long before this man was using the rosin as an initial impulse. He would put a plentiful supply on his hands and then rub them on the carpet when he had a chance and the referee was not looking closely.

Keeping his eye carefully on the spot, he would wait until his opponent assumed a crouching position on his hands and knees and then rub his face into the rosined part of the mat. This was about as soothing as sandpaper and was very hard on delicate faces and tempers. This trick has been practised a great deal, but has sort of dropped out of vogue recently because referees look at the hands closely for bandages and other artificial aids. This precaution is the reason why fewer mat experts finish their matches with faces looking like rubber change mats now.

Wrestling is a rough enough game for the most barbarous members of the civilized races. Frequently a leg or an arm will be broken in a hard bout, especially if it is between professionals. Many regular spectators do not consider it a good go unless some one is bruised a little. The one fault to be found with it at present is the way that some bouts string out interminably when two men are evenly matched and neither one can get a fall. The two men will struggle about the mat for hours without any spectacular features, simply trying to wear each other down. What takes place in close contact is lost on the fans. They even miss the punishment which may be given when the two men are close to the carpet. Then there comes a flash and one stands up and hurls his opponent several feet. It is like a sprint in the six day bicycle race, after which the two contestants settle back to the steady grind again.

To Eliminate Stalling.

Even now the intercollegiate wrestling association is trying to make rules which will eliminate the stalling tactics that drag out a bout interminably. At the last meeting it was agreed that a fall should count one point more than a bout won on a decision. In intercollegiate wrestling each bout is allowed to go only so many minutes. It is thought that if more points can be gained from a fall than from a decision the result should be livelier exhibitions. Some such provision is suggested for professional bouts, but no definite rule to make the sport more interesting has been discovered yet.

Aside from the sport and physical development to be attained from wrestling among amateurs, it is a great means of self-defence when a man is in a tight place. "Hughie" Leonard tells of an incident in his experience that goes to show the value of the game as a means of self-defence. It was when Leonard was a young man in his prime. He is naturally a small man and in his clothes does not appear to be particularly "husky." He was on the Barbary coast in San Francisco once seeing the sights, years ago, when men were shanghaied there and never missed. It was considered to be a legitimate practice in those days. Leonard had been wandering around alone and stopped into a place to get something to eat late one night. Two men drew him into conversation by asserting that all Americans were "curs." Leonard dared him to repeat it.

"I'll knock your block off!" declared the author of the statement.

"You couldn't blow the foam off a glass of beer," said Leonard.

The man made a lunge. The lights went out, as they usually do in places of the sort, but not before Leonard had judged the distance. He hammerlocked his man and tossed him off his hip over the bar, where he went down with a crash of glass. Leonard was on the second man, whom he could see reaching behind him in the dim light from a street lamp. He threw this man heavily against a table, for "Hughie" Leonard was quick as a cat in his younger days. Then Leonard bolted for the door.

"The last thing I heard as I went out," says "Hughie," "was a voice asking above a chorus of oaths, 'Who let that bussaw in?'"

Originally wrestling was a means of self-defence. Then the Greeks included it in their sports. It is one of the oldest members of the sport family, popular because it develops a man all around. It is great exercise, but to be a champion a man must know the "tricks in the trade."

DEVELOPING THE ZEBRA AS THE IDEAL DRAUGHT ANIMAL

THE horse has another rival besides the automobile. It is the zebra!—that striped beauty of the wilds, that for so long a time was reputed to be untamable. Experiment has shown that it can be broken to harness. This applies to zebras proper, but even better results than from these are expected as a result of the crossing of zebras with various types of horses, resulting in a hybrid combining the hardiness of the zebra and its ability to thrive in a climate unsuited to the horse with the superior qualities of the latter animal as a beast of burden under good conditions.

Recent letters received by me from abroad throw interesting light upon the developments of the last two or three years along these lines by those most interested in the effort to produce the ideal animal for draught purposes in countries where the use of the horse has been found to be impracticable—notably in the "fly country," as it is called, and in fact in Central Africa generally. If these experiments prove successful—and there is every indication that they will—the problem of carrying camp equipage and supplies in that country will have received a practical solution and the planning of campaigns there will be simplified greatly. For this reason the British Foreign Office and military authorities generally have been displaying great interest in this subject and are keeping close track of every forward step made in the effort to develop the perfect animal for their special uses.

One of the leading animal importers, breeders and trainers of Europe wrote in a letter not long ago:—

"An interesting experiment was recently made by Professor Ewart, of Edinburgh—the crossing of a male Chapman zebra with different breeds of horses, from a Shetland pony up to a heavy cart horse. I have bought from Professor Ewart two zebra horses, the one foaled by an American trotting mare, the other by a small English cart horse. Judging by results up to date, which have been more than satisfactory, these experiments will lead, I think, to a revolution in breeding mules, for the zebra crossed with horses gives better results than breeding mules from jacks.

"The zebra is an animal with more life and possesses greater endurance. Formerly it was very difficult to get the zebras from which to breed, but they are now caught for me in any number. They are worth about $750 apiece, delivered in New York."

Zebras have been plentiful in the animal markets of the world only for the last four or five years, since the discovery of astonishing herds of them on the plains that lie south of Albert Nyanza and Albert Edward Nyanza, and on the plateaus between the great lakes generally. It is said that they may be seen there feeding like ponies in a field and that they have almost no fear of man, as many of the tribes inhabiting the district are only vegetable feeders and do not even dig pitfalls for the abounding game.

It was this abundance of natural wild horse in the district which prompted Mr. R. Stordy, M. R. C. V. S., to forward to the British Foreign Office a detailed recommendation now on file there suggesting the domestication of the animals for draught purposes.

The first need is that some hardy animal larger than a donkey be found. The constitution of all zebras is astonishingly robust. They are naturally dwellers upon high plains and dry mountains, and though their natural habitat is in the fly haunted veldt of Eastern Central Africa, in temperate zones they live out of doors through the winter without suffering the slightest harm. Professor Ewart's zebra hybrids were more hardy than ponies and thrived under exposure the year round in the Pentland Hills of England.

Neither the idea nor the fact of taming zebras is new; but it is only of recent years that systematic efforts toward the scientific breeding of the most perfect type of zebra hybrids have been made. In the middle of the last century half broken zebras were sometimes seen for sale in Cape Town, with a rider mounted to show that they were ridable. It is said that they were exported to Mauritius for draught purposes.

The experiment has been tried with complete success in England. Mr. Walter Rothschild's team, three zebras and a pony, was fairly well broken, though perhaps the animals were not all that could be desired in the stable. Barnum had a team of four zebra mares that were as quiet as so many sheep. The writer has seen them when waiting for their turn in the performance, where they drew a car. They were in pairs, ready harnessed in their stalls. All four were standing quietly with no one near them, not fidgeting in their harness or pawing the ground as some of the ponies were.

AERIAL TRAMWAY NOW IN OPERATION

Ore From Washington Mine is Being Treated at Greenwood Smelter

Phoenix, April 28.—The British Columbia Copper Company has completed the construction of the aerial tramway from its Lone Star mine to Boundary Falls. The mine is located about 200 feet across the American side in the state of Washington. The work of construction was in charge of A. Burnett, one of the company's engineers, and the tramway is about five and a half miles long.

The management of the company has had this work under way for over a year, and at the beginning experienced considerable trouble in securing the right-of-way, as the property owners along the line held out for fancy prices. This difficulty was overcome, however, and the tramway is now a reality in fact.

The aerial system cost in the neighborhood of $100,000, the cable being eleven miles long. Buckets carrying 600 pounds of ore are operated over the line, which has three stations and a capacity of twenty tons an hour. The ore thus brought from the mine to Boundary Falls is being shipped from there to the company's smelter at Greenwood, a distance of four miles via the C. P. R.

A test was made of the tramway two weeks ago and shipments to the smelter began last week. Heretofore the ore from this mine was hauled by wagon to a point on the Kettle Valley railway and shipped to Grand Forks and thence to Greenwood.

The Lone Star is a promising mine and has a large tonnage of ore blocked out and is said to be one of the best producers operated by the B. C. company. With the tramway now in working order, and the expense of transportation reduced, will very materially add to the net profits of the company.

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NOTED PUBLICIST IS DEAD.

Life of John Passmore Edwards Was Full of Good Works.

The death is announced from London of John Passmore Edwards, 88 years old, publicist, philanthropist and advocate of international peace.

Mr. Edwards was born in Cornwall and was a striking instance of the heights to which a poor man who is not self-seeking may often rise in England, where a man without aristocratic connections is generally regarded as handicapped without wealth. His father was a carpenter in the village of Blackwater. He was educated at the village school, but rose to become proprietor of the London Echo, an evening Liberal newspaper, and one of the foremost men of his day, having repeatedly refused a title offered him by both Queen Victoria and King Edward. He began his life work in Manchester, where he started as agent for the Sentinel, but in 1846 entered the ranks of London journalists, and in co-operation with men like Bright and Cobden in their great work, rose to fame. He was a delegate to the International Peace Conference in Brussels in 1848, and to similar conferences at a later date in both France and Germany.

Mr. Passmore Edwards founded his first publication, the Public Good, a magazine, which has its ideals and purpose indicated by its name, in 1850. In 1876 he bought the Echo, and edited it for a period of twenty years.

He will, however, be chiefly remembered as a public benefactor who founded more than seventy public institutions, including hospitals, homes and free libraries. He sat in the House of Commons for Salisbury 1880-85, and his life was full of good works in the public sense.

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GERMAN POLICY ALARMS VATICAN

Chancellor Will Brook No Interference With Religion of Catholic Subjects

The vatican authorities regard the speech of Chancellor Hollweig on the anti-modernist oath in the German Reichstag as a threat, or a warning to the holy see. The chancellor appears to aim at having the pope submit to him decrees and letters addressed to the Catholic world for his veto before they can be published to the Catholics of Germany. There is, the pope recently said, a temptation in monarchies to turn their royal scepter into an ecclesiastical crozier, and to rule the souls as well as the bodies of their subjects. And this has been an idea which prevailed for a long time among the German princes.

What makes the speech menacing is that the emperor himself is a party to it. The chancellor refers, in passing, to the pontifical letter on the Saint Charles Borremeo centenary, and the offence that Germany took out of the papel preferences to the Reformers and the German princes of the Reformation times.

The chancellor is said to be alarmed at the prospect of the disturbance of religious peace, which now prevails in Germany, and which, he says, may be broken by the anti-modernist oath. He declares that there is nothing in the oath that is out of harmony with the constitution, and that the Protestant church and state have not and cannot have anything to do with the spiritual and religious life of Catholics.

DISMISSED CHIEF APPEALS.

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—Former Chief of the Fire Department John H. Bayle, who was removed by Mayor Geo. W. Dilling because of alleged habitual drunkenness, frequenting of saloons during hours of duty, and incompetency, appealed to the civil service yesterday from the mayor's action. Bayle is one of the recalled Mayor Gill's closest friends and was appointed to office by him.

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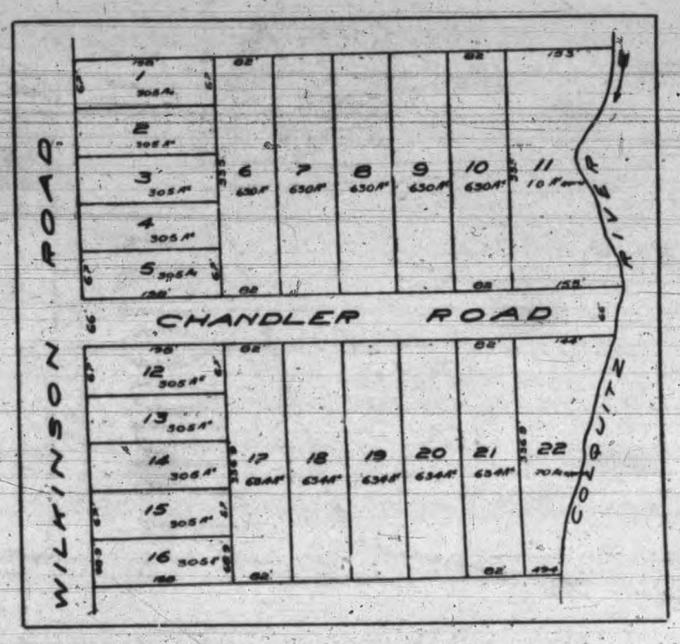

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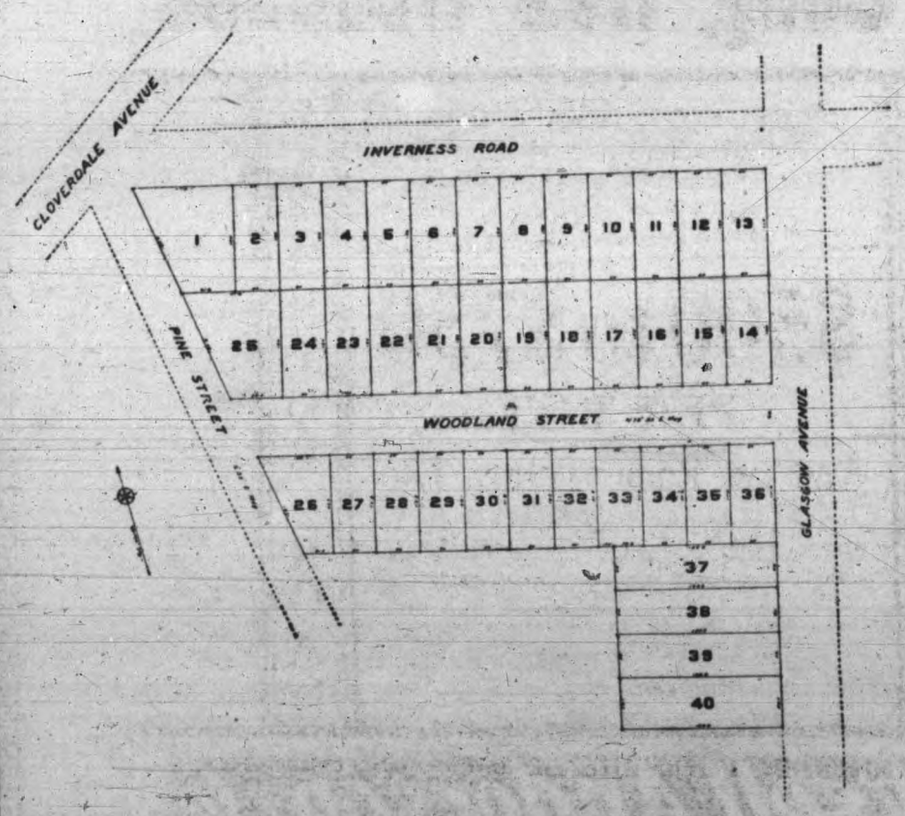

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ALL FOUGHT HARD IN RELIGION'S NAME

"Veneration of the Cross" Provokes Violent Protest by Kensites

So serious was a disturbance arising out of an anti-Ritualist protest at the church of Holy Trinity, Hoxton, on Good Friday morning, that the church officials had to call in the police to help in restoring order.

There was a hand-to-hand conflict between a party of Wycliffe preachers and members of the congregation; blows were struck; several choristers had their surplices torn; one man he was seized by the throat; a Kensite lost his silk hat, another had his coat torn, and a crucifix was snatched from its socket on the Communion table and broken into small pieces. The Wycliffe preachers were led by J. A. Kensit, who personally raised a protest against "this idolatry in the Church of England."

Holy Trinity is on the City road side of Soxton, and has a congregation of middle and working class people. This extraordinary scene arose during the morning service, which was being conducted by the vicar, the Rev. Henry William Gordon Kenrick, M. A.

The trouble occurred during what is called "the veneration of the Cross." The senior curate, the Rev. William Lolman, pulled aside the violet veil shrouding a cross, and uttered the words, "The wood of the Cross." Members of the choir then passed from their stalls to the front of the communion table, and were apparently in the act of kissing, or about to kiss, the unveiled crucifix, when Mr. Kensit, leaving the pew from which he had been watching the ceremony, walked to the front of the chancel, and exclaimed in a loud voice, "This idolatry in the Church of England must cease."

The entire congregation at once rose, and women and children appeared to be greatly alarmed. A number of persons gathered round the Wycliffe preachers. The chancel gates were hastily closed. The adult choristers quitted their stalls and barred the way to the altar.

In the central aisle of the church, it is stated, blows were exchanged, and cries of "Why don't you leave us alone?" "I protest against this awful idolatry in the Church of England," "Shame," "Sacrilege," and "Leave the building," were heard.

A chorister says that at this stage he was seized by the throat, and several others had their surplices torn in the attack. The cross was snatched from its socket on the "altar." A clergyman tried to regain possession of it, but was carried off his feet in the scrimmage and fell to the ground.

While all this scuffling was going on, with much shouting and some crying and screaming of women and children, Mr. Mills, the organist, continued to play selections of church music. An urgent summons had been sent to the police, and on their arrival a sergeant and a number of constables proceeded up the main aisle, which had been the scene of the greatest confusion. Order was soon restored, and after another protest the demonstrators left the church.

In a statement to a press representative afterwards, Mr. Kensit said: "For about two years I have been corresponding with the Bishop of London over this church and a number of others. I have reported this service as having taken place on a Good Friday. I made up my mind that the service should not be allowed this year without a protest. I was, of course, hopeful that the Bishop of London would have intervened and ordered its cessation. I asked a number of my friends to be present at the church, and to support me in any protest I felt called upon to make.

"During the strictly legal part of the service, consisting of Collects and Epistles and Gospel from the Prayer-book, we made no signs of protest of any kind. But at that point in the Roman Catholic service, the unveiling of the Crucifix and the kissing of it, when I saw the choir fall down to kiss the 'image,' which the priest had in his hand, I felt it was time to make a strong protest.

"Accordingly I left my seat, advanced towards the front of the church in front of the chancel steps, and said: 'It is time this idoltary in the Church of England ceased.' The words were hardly out of my mouth when there was a general rush at me from the choir, and my friends closed round me from behind. A general scene of disorder followed. Eventually the gates of the chancel were closed, and I was wedged in a position close against them, and was pushed on to a chair.

"I then said, 'I call upon the Lord Bishop of London to stop this service in this and every other church where it is held.' Mr. Kenrick, the vicar, was close to me on the chancel side of the screen. I said to him: 'Mr. Kenrick, you know that this is an illegal service'; to which the vicar replied, 'What law am I breaking?' To that I replied, 'This service is taken from the Roman missal. You have promised only to use the Book of Common Prayer. You have brought all this trouble on yourself.'

"Someone got into the chancel and seized the crucifix, and a struggle ensued between the choirmen and members of the Kensit party. In the general struggle the crucifix was broken into pieces. It was about 2 ft. 6 in. long. Someone blew a police whistle in the church, and the police arrived on the scene and advanced to the front, where I was standing. One came forward and said to the vicar, 'Here are the police officers; is there any charge?'

"The vicar replied: 'I do not want to make any charge at all. All I want is that they be removed.' After that I came out. I was not struck in any way. One of our preachers lost his silk hat; one had his coat lapel torn off, and I saw one of our supporters pressed over the back of a pew. Inside the chancel the choirmen resisted us in a solid phalanx."

The Rev. H. W. G. Kenrick (vicar), when asked if he had any statement to communicate, replied: "I have nothing to say, except that, as far as I know, I maintained perfect silence. Of course I was excited; we all were. All the brawling was done by them"—(meaning the Wycliffe preachers). "The services in this church are regulated by the Bishop. The scene gave me a better idea of the hatred which prompted the crucifixion of Christ than anything I have ever seen."

READ IN "DEUTSCHLAND."

German Papers Protest Against Introduction of English Terms.

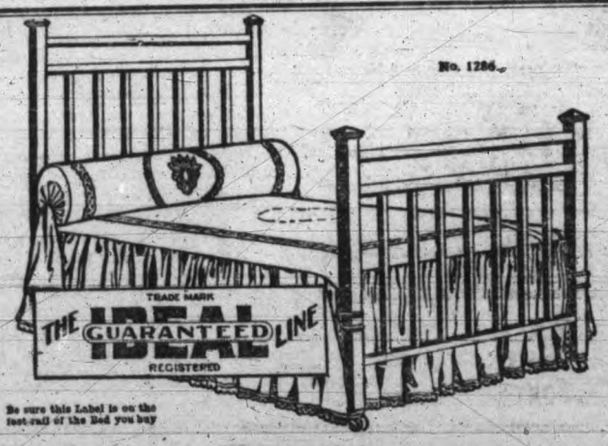
The Pan-German papers are sometimes very amusing reading, especially when they raise their voices against the alleged tendency of Germans to favor what is foreign and neglect what is undeniably their own.

The Taegliche Rundschau establishes a record in this style of absurd nationalism by three separate articles dealing with alleged German predilections for what is foreign.

In the first of these effusions a manufacturer of German cloth maintains that his countrymen most unreasonably prefer British-made goods to German. He thinks it scandalous that the Kaiser and other members of the Imperial family should wear British-made goods when they dress in civilian clothes, and frantically appeals to the Kaiser, "who has done so much to stiffen the backbone of Germans," to wear clothes made in Germany.

The second article falls foul of the Royal porcelain works, which has stamped the word "Germany" on its products instead of "Deutschland." It is not sufficient that the director of the works explains that this has been done in accordance with the new customs regulations of the United States, whither so much of his produce is sent. It is a sycophantic crawling before a foreign country, and must be stopped.

The third article in the Rundschau expresses anger that the prospectus of a big hotel in the west end of Berlin should use the word "boarding house" as descriptive of the venture. Can no German word be found? it is asked. If this company wants the support of the German public, they must find a German word for "boarding house," and in their list of foods to be supplied, they must find equivalents for "toast," "luncheon" and "porridge."



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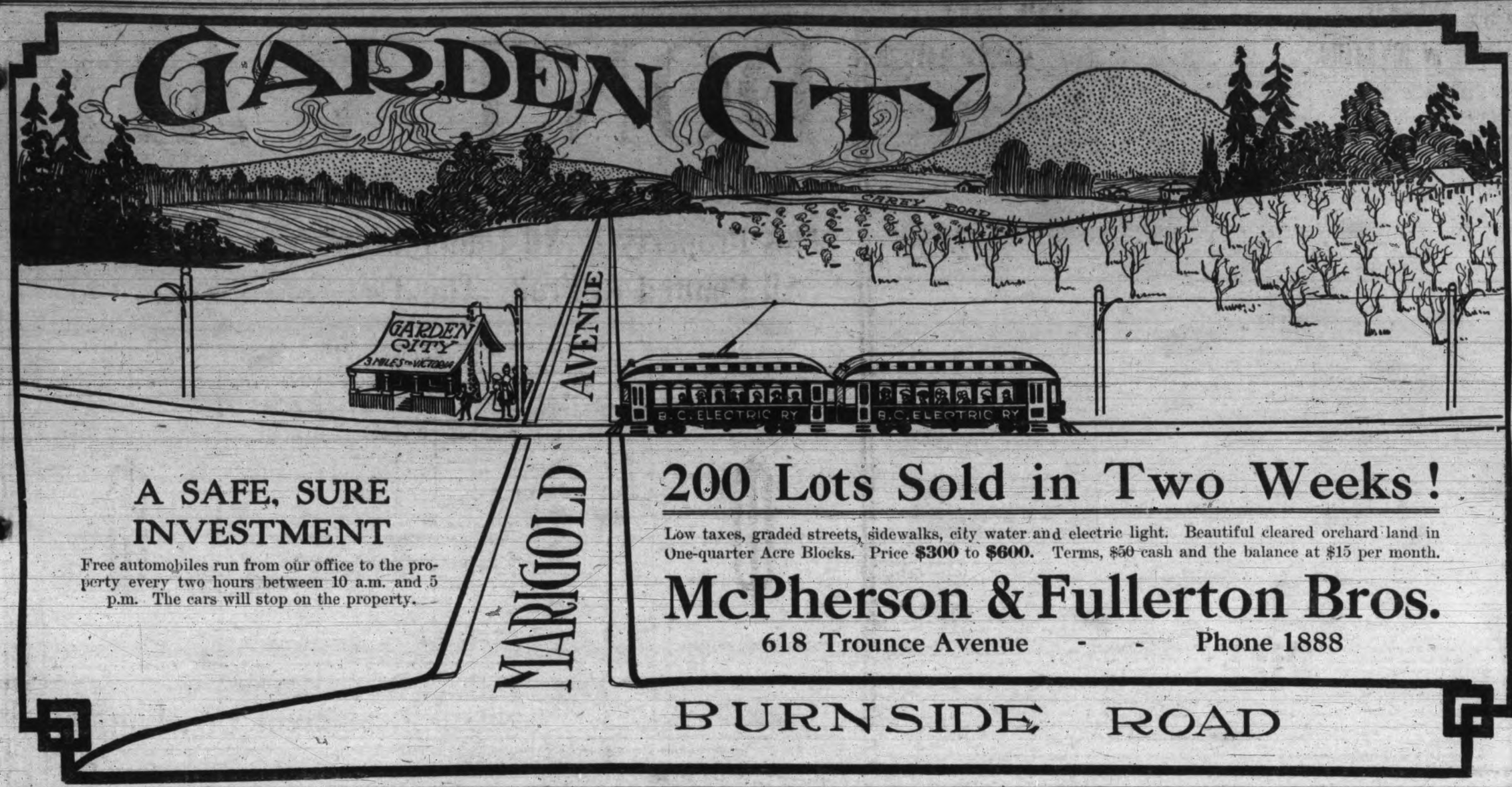

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Arrangements have just been completed by the executive of the Metropolitan Methodist Epworth League to have the MacDonald party present their high-class programme at the Metropolitan church on Monday evening, May 15, commencing promptly at 8 o'clock. Tickets will be placed on sale very shortly at the music stores of this city, the prices being 50 cents for reserved seats and 25 cents general.

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Officers Elected at Meeting of Association at New York.

New York, April 29.—Members of American Newspaper Publishers' Association at their meeting yesterday elected Bruce Haldeman of the Louisville Courier-Journal as president to succeed Herman Ridder. Herbert L. Bridgeman of Brooklyn Standard Union was elected vice-president to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Mr. Haldeman to the presidency. Elbert H. Baker of the Cleveland Plain Dealer and Boston Traveller was re-elected secretary and Wm. J. Pattison of the New York Evening Post was re-elected treasurer. The retiring directors, Charles H. Hornick of the San Francisc Call, Charles H. Taylor Jr., of the Boston Globe and John B. Towers, of the Philadelphia Press, were re-elected.

APPEAL ENTERED.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 29.—Attorneys for Miss Beatrice Anita Turnbull in her contest for a daughter's share of the $11,000,000 estate of Elias J. Baldwin have entered an appeal from the decision of Judge Rivers of the superior court of this country, excluding her from such share. Grounds for the appeal as outlined by her attorneys, are that Judge Rivers erred in taking the case out of the hands of the jury and instructing them to return a verdict against the plaintiff and also in allowing testimony regarding the relations of Mrs. Turnbull, the contestant's mother, to Col. Pope, the Boston manufacturer.

FREE TRADE FOR COLONIES OF EMPIRE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Reaffirms Cherished Opinions on Imperial Unity

"Canada recognizes in the fullest sense the great importance of the Imperial conference. This Dominion is neither indifferent nor lacking in appreciation of its value. The conference is an advisory body with wide possibilities. It has already done excellent work, and I believe it is destined to do even better work in the future. Much of its strength is found in the element of personal contact in the meeting of the representatives of the component parts of the Empire. It may be that in the matter of co-operation we may have gone as far as is advisable at the present time. Reading British history demonstrates that all British communities are slow to move. This is the trend of the British institutions. There is steady progress, but it is step by step as new needs make changes imperative. And progress will go on, step by step, in the line of making for the betterment of mankind and the universal peace of the world, for the consolidation of the British Empire is and will be a powerful factor for good to the whole human race."

Such was the message of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, bespeaking his ideal of the purpose and prospects of the Imperial conference, with which he concluded a brief response to the speech of Mr. Foster in the Commons last week. The member for North Toronto spoke at length, reviewing the deliberations of the conference of 1907, commending the work of the conference secretariat organized in connection with the colonial office in recording and promulgating its work and moulding its proceedings into permanent policy and permanent operation, and, lastly, criticising the Canadian government for laxity in performing its part in Imperial correspondence and for failure to advance suggestions for the forthcoming conference.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, replying, briefly reviewed the history of the Conference, and expressed his personal regret at the absence of ex-Premier Deakin of Australia on the occasion of the coming gathering in London. He had hoped that Mr. Deakin would have found himself able to attend the Coronation ceremonies. "We differed very widely in some matters," observed the Premier, "but I recognize his great ability and value in attendance in any capacity." Mr. Deakin, Sir Wilfred proceeded, had advocated the creation of an independent secretariat with the Prime Minister of Britain at its head. The Canadian premier, on the other hand, had held that the secretariat should be under ministerial responsibility, and the latter course had been adopted. Its work had been well and effectively done.

Continuing, Sir Wilfrid defended the Canadian government against the suggestion of indifference. While it was true that in the preparation of the work the government of Canada had offered no new suggestions there were many other matters to the consideration of which Canada was first prepared to give attention. The Premier instanced the matter of defence upon which it had been necessary to hold a subsidiary conference, and directed attention to the fact that there were other matters which might be similarly referred. He referred to the trade question in which the Conference of 1902 had expressed itself in accord with the views of the British government of that day. In 1907, although there had been a change in the constitution of the Home government with a subsequent change of tariff viewpoint, no new resolution was submitted to the Conference touching the matter.

"On this matter, as well as many others," Sir Wilfrid continued, "it does not seem possible at the present time to come to a unanimous understanding. There does not seem any possibility at the present time of a universal system of free trade throughout the United Kingdom and the Dominions overseas, although, for my part, that is my ideal for the British Empire. That is, of course, only in my opinion, but I submit that it is based upon reason and the application of sound doctrine. And yet, under present conditions in the United Kingdom, and more especially under present conditions in the Dominions overseas, it does not seem possible of immediate application."

HYDROGRAPHIC CHANGES.

A very curious result of the slow change of level going on at various points of the earth's surface is the gradual tipping up of the shores of Hudson Bay, just as if some gigantic power were engaged in an attempt to empty that great basin of water into the adjoining sea. One of the earliest indications of what was transpiring in this connection came to the notice of the officers of the Hudson Bay Company when they found that the water at the mouths of the rivers where their posts were stationed was gradually getting shallower and navigation consequently becoming more difficult. Examination showed that the shore is lined with old beaches of sand and gravel lying as high as fifty feet or more above the present level of the bay. When Hendrik Hudson, in 1610, discovered the great body of water that bears his name, he wintered with his ships on the east coast of the bay in a harbor which has now disappeared, or at least has been so far drained off as no longer to be recognizable from his description.

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REPUBLICANISM IN GERMAN EMPIRE

FEDERAL SOVEREIGNTIES RESEMBLE UNITED STATES

"The Kaiser (Limited)" is Appellation Given to Emperor by Constitutional Writer

Seeking to break down British, and incidentally general, misapprehension as to the powers of the sovereign of the German empire, Mr. Charles Lowe continues his illuminating letters in the London Chronicle. He says:

There is no country in all Europe concerning which it behoves us to be so well informed as about Germany, the great country whose interests and aims so nearly affect ourselves. And yet the generality of Britons continue to have the most confused, erroneous, and preposterous notions on the subject. The German empire has now been in existence for forty years—during which period, by the by, it is the only great power that has never once drawn the sword, but repeatedly compelled others to keep it in its sheath—and yet there are very few Englishmen who have clearer and more correct notions about it than they have about China. There would be much less alarmism in this country about German ambitions if the constitution of the German empire were better understood. It has come to this, that most Englishmen now look upon the Germans as Gambetta regarded the Jesuits, of whom he said, "Le clericalisme—voila l'ennemi!" But, before rushing to this conclusion, Englishmen should really try to realize how the Germans are ruled, and to what extent in turn they are permitted to rule themselves and control their rulers.

Well, then—dealing with the subject only on broad and general lines—let us begin with the Emperor, who is by no means the autocratic ruler which he is generally represented to be in this country. There is nothing exactly corresponding to his position in any other European state—least of all in Russia or Turkey, the only remaining despotisms in Europe pure and simple, despite their farcical Dumas and phantom Assemblies. It is absurd to speak of the Kaiser as an autocrat, because, to begin with, he is not an Imperial sovereign. Perhaps his nearest analogue is the president of the United States, which hold the same position in America as the United States of Germany do in Europe. As forty-five separate states in America are banded together in a federal union called Republic, with an elective president for their executive head, so twenty-two German monarchies, large and small, and three little republics, viz., the Hansa Free Cities—Hamburg, Lubeck, and Bremen—did, in 1871, agree to constitute themselves into a corresponding confederation, with the presidency thereof not elective, but hereditary in the line of the Kings of Prussia, as a reward for their having done so much to bring about this national unity.

In the case of America, the confederation of states, I say, was called "Republic," while to the corresponding thing in Germany was awarded the title "Reich," or Empire, though, strictly speaking, "Reich" only means "realm," while "Kaiserreich" is empire, just as "Konig-reich" is kingdom. But the German state confederation is not a "Kaiser-reich"; it is only a "Reich," with a purely titular Kaiser at the head of it—a mere "Deutscher Kaiser"—or "German Emperor," which is vastly different from "Emperor of Germany." William II. of Prussia is Emperor "in," but not "of," Germany, and therefore Imperial sovereignty is not inherent in him. There is an Imperial German family, but in the "Almanach de Gotha" you will have to look for it—not under the head of "Allemagne," but of "Prusse." One hears loose talk about the "Imperial German crown," but in reality there is no such thing, and no such throne.

It may strike my readers with the force of a great surprise, but it is nevertheless a fact, that William II. has never yet been crowned either as King of Prussia or as German Emperor. In the latter capacity, of course, it would have been impossible for him to imitate the example of the two Napoleons who crowned themselves in Notre Dame, because William II. is not an Imperial Sovereign in the sense that the Satanic Corsican was. But, on the other hand, it is surprising that, as King of Prussia, of which he certainly is the Sovereign—he, the great stickler for the principle of rule by right divine—should have omitted to go through the ceremony which was performed upon himself by the first regal member of the Hohenzollern line, Frederick I, at Konigsberg, the Westminster of Prussia, on January 18, 1701—a day which was afterwards to be selected by his sixth successor for his proclamatoin at Versailles—not as "Emperor of Germany," but as "German Emperor" or hereditary Roosevelt-President of the Confederation called "Reich."

The Federal Sovereigns.

In the Imperial constitution the Kaiser is referred to as the "Bundespraesidium," or president of the confederation, and that is precisely what he is. But I repeat that he is not an imperial sovereign in the ordinary sense of the term. As Kaiser he receives no civil list from the Reich, but only from his Prussian subjects, who thus pay him well on to a million sterling a year for the upkeep of his imperial dignity and for the lustre which it thus sheds on the Prussian people. Apart from his own loyal and honest Prussians the Kaiser has no personal "subjects." The author of one of the numerous tales of invasion of this country by the Germans makes the Kaiser issue a proclamation to all his "loyal subjects" living in England. But this betrayed gross ignorance of the writer's theme, because the Germans do not stand to William II. as Emperor in the relation of subject to sovereign. The Prussians are his proper subjects; but the Bavarians, the Saxons, the Wurtembergers, and so on, owe similar allegiance to their respective sovereigns, while all enjoy the superincumbent status and privilege of German citizenship.

Each of the federal sovereigns is still a "Landesvater," or "Pater Patriae," to his particular subjects, and the feeling of personal loyalty which still attaches all Germans to their special "Landesvater" takes undoubted precedence of their other sense of allegiance to the Kaiser as political overseer and protagonist of the whole "Vaterland." Or let me illustrate the case in this way. Throughout Germany the military oath—"Fahneneid," or "oath to the colors"—is taken—not to the Kaiser personally (except, of course, in his own kingdom of Prussia), but to the "Landesherr," "Landesvater," or sovereign of the soldier's particular birth state. Yet in thus taking the oath of allegiance to their own special ruler, recruits at the same time swear obedience to the Emperor as commander-in-chief of the entire German army—though of this more anon.

There is even no such thing as a "German" field marshal, though we were told by the Berlin correspondents, who ought to have known better, that the Kaiser signalized New Year's day by creating several new ones. But you will only find field marshals in the Prussian army. Moreover, William II. is a "fountain or honor"—not as Emperor, but only as King of Prussia. There are no such things as imperial decorations, or imperial titles of nobility. Bismarck was made a "Furst"—which is misrendered "Prince," and is nearer "Marquis," being less than "Duke"—not by the German Kaiser, but by the King of Prussia, and in this respect his Majesty's sovereign powers are shared by all his crowned confederates from the Kings of Saxony, Bavaria and Wurtemberg down to the other "wee, wee German lairdies" who continue to wear a crown and cock their hats as proudly as ever, enjoying—as "fountains of honor"—quite as much prerogative elbowroom as the King of Prussia who is only "primus inter pares," first in rank and precedence among his sovereign equals.

Kaiser or King?

But let us look at the thing from another point of view, for it goes to the root of the whole matter. In this country there is a popular impression, which no amount of disillusioning explanation seems able to correct, that the various minor sovereigns in Germany stand to the Kaiser in about the same relation as the Norman barons once did to William the Conqueror, or as the great feudatory chiefs of India now do to our own King-Emperor. But nothing could be more erroneous. When, yielding to the temptation to belong to a foreign nation, our Duke of Edinburgh took up the succession to the throne of Saxe-Coburg, it was asked by several speakers and writers whether it was possible for an English prince, "who had taken an oath of allegiance to a foreign sovereign," to retain his status as a British subject. These questions indicated a belief that, on ascending the throne of his uncle, Duke Alfred had actually, so to speak, bent the vassal knee to his nephew, the German Emperor, as to his suzerain lord.

A more erroneous and absurd belief never impressed itself on the mind of man. It was probably due to the circumstance that, when Duke Alfred took the oath to the constitution of the united Duchies of Coburg and Gotha, he did so in the accidental presence of the Emperor who, out of a mere feeling of kinship and sovereign camaraderie for his English uncle, had hastened to Rheinhardsbrunn to act towards him as a kind of sponsor and Dymoke champion, so to speak, at such a serious juncture of his life. That was all. Otherwise the Duke took no further oath of allegiance to the Emperor than was implied in his vow to his own subjects to observe their ducal constitution—an act in itself which at once admitted him to the confederation of his fellow sovereigns.

Finally, let me say that with us in this country the tendency ever is to lose sight of the King of Prussia in the German Emperor; and until the distinction is clearly grasped no one can hope to avoid confusion of thought in following the course of affairs in the Fatherland. People should always ask themselves, on hearing that his Majesty has done this or that, whether he has been acting as Kaiser, or only as King, and in about seven cases out of ten they will find, to their great surprise no doubt, that it was in the latter capacity.

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ECONOMY IN HONEYMOONS.

Unintentional Coquetry of Milliner Supplants Another Would-be Bride.

William Christian Langenau, described by most of the ship's company of the Hamburg-American liner Cleveland as a Cleveland millionaire, has returned to New York after spending his honeymoon in the Mediterranean. Mrs. Langenau, who was a milliner of Chicago when she became the bride of Mr. Langenau, admitted that it was true she had become acquainted with her husband when he went into her store last November and asked her for the finest and dearest hat she had.

He confided to her that the hat was for the woman he was going to marry and that he intended to take her out on a honeymoon that would not cost him less than $100,000. She said that she looked upon that as rather a too gorgeous expenditure even for a sixty-year-old widower. He asked her what her idea was about the expense of a honeymoon, and she said she thought she could have the time of her life on $50,000, or even less. Then he proposed and she accepted him, and, selling out her store, she went to Cleveland and they were married.

Mrs. Langenau said it was true that the bridegroom had popped the question in the manner related, and that she knew the name of the other lady, but would not tell it.

ETIQUETTE IN JAPAN.

Wife of Mayor of Tokio Discusses and Compares Social Customs.

Mme. Ozaki, the wife of the mayor of Tokio, has lately visited America, and in the course of an interview with a writer in the North American expressed some interesting views on the woman of her country as she is to be met with to-day. Although girls are allowed a little voice in the acceptance or refusal of their future husbands, it is the Japanese mother who really chooses her son-in-law. A little more individual freedom in this respect is, however, to be noticed than was the case formerly, and presumably the marriage de convenance is not so usual as it was in more rigid days.

As regards smoking Mme. Ozaki sees a great difference between the habits and customs of the day and those which were prevalent some years ago. One would have thought that the fondness of the European woman for cigarettes would have set the custom in Japan, here everything is so experimental, and the example of foreign travellers in the country would make a great impression.

On the contrary, however, smoking is no longer considered quite so good form as it was even a few years ago. Women of high social position in Japan are giving up the old indulgence in the fragrant pipes they were so fond of formerly, and their lead will probably be followed slowly by other classes beneath them. Presumably, the lady of position gives the signal in matters of etiquette, much as is done in Europe.

Women, Madame Ozaki is obliged reluctantly to confess, have not the same social quality and position which they possess in the Western world. Things are improving, but the date is still a little distant when like priveleges will be afforded women in general which are open to men. The educational advantages which are being offorded girls of all classes nowadays are, however, bound to make a difference in the long run, and there will probably come a time before very long when men will have to begin to recognize the urgent need for many reforms in the position of their wives and mothers.

Recent differences in the marriage laws have proved, in themselves, heralds of further advantages. Divorce can now only be procured for tangible reasons or through mutual consent, and immeasurable good has been done the women of Japan by the removal of the injustice which made it legal for a man to divorce his wife without any just pretext at all.

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2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Oscar Street between Cook Street and Moss Street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on both sides of said street from Cook Street to Moss Street, and to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of said street from linden Avenue to Moss Street and on the south side from Cook Street to Moss Street, also sewer, surface drains and water laterals and move poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Oxford Street between Cook Street and Moss Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) and sewers, surface drain and water laterals, and move poles if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Cornwall Street between Richardson Street and Fairfield Road, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), and to construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and to move poles, if necessary.

5. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Faithful Street, between Moss Street and Cook Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), on both sides of said street, and to construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and to move poles, if necessary.

6. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Broughton Street, between Douglas Street and Blanchard Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side from the east line of Lot 57, Block 23, to Blanchard Street, and sewer, surface drain and water laterals and move poles if necessary.

7. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Howe Street between May Street and Dallas Road, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards on both sides of said street (including maintenance), and move poles, if necessary.

8. And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of said By-law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas Street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
April 19th, 1911.

Re Local Improvement Works

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable:

1. To light Broad Street, between Fort Street and Cormorant Street, with electric light columns bearing cluster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground.

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Esquimalt Road from Bridge Street to Point Ellice Bridge, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, including cost of sewer, surface drains and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Burnside Road, from Douglas Street to Washington Avenue, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), on both sides of said Road, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and the moving of poles, if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Bay Street from Douglas Street to Bridge Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street.

5. To pave with an asphaltic pavement, Douglas Street from Fisguard Street to Pembroke Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

6. To pave with an asphaltic pavement, Douglas Street from Pembroke Street to Hillside Avenue, with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving poles, if necessary.

7. To widen Douglas Street from Humboldt Street southerly to Superior Street to a uniform width of 100 feet, and to expropriate the necessary property therefor.

8. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Pandora Avenue between Douglas Street and Vancouver Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Avenue, between Douglas Street and Quadra Street, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving poles, if necessary.

9. To expropriate property in Block "H," Fairfield Estate, in order to make a street of a uniform width of 66 feet, from Linden Avenue to McKenzie Street, and to grade and pave with asphalt said street when made, and construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), also sewer, surface drain and water laterals.

11. To light Broad Street between Fort Street and Cormorant Street with electric light columns bearing cluster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground.

12. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Esquimalt Road, from Bridge Street to Point Ellice Bridge, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, including cost of sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving poles, if necessary.

And that the said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and the City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of said by-law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid, having been adopted by the Council:

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
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Separate tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Friday, 28th April, for the making and supplying 50 Police Uniforms same as sample; also 100 Police Regulation Books same as sample, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, April 20, '11.

STREET CLOSED

Notice is hereby given that Fort street between Yates street and St. Charles street will be closed to traffic until further notice.

Paving Tenders

Sealed tenders, marked Pavement Tenders, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m., Friday, April the 28th, 1911, for constructing approximately 600,000 square yards or 36 miles of asphalt pavement. Plans, specifications and form of tender may be procured at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., April 12th, 1911.

Re Subdivisional Plans

Persons desiring to obtain the approval of the City Council to subdivisional plans, are hereby notified to submit said plans in the first instance to the Chairman of the Street Committee, Alderman W. A. Gleason, and the City Engineer.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
March 13th, 1911.

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Among the Churches

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Church of Our Lord.

Sunday Services.—The rector, Rev. F. W. Gladstone, will conduct both services to-morrow. Morning subject, "Confidence in God"; evening subject, "The Child Moses—A Type."

PRESBYTERIAN.
First Church.

Sunday Services.—The usual services will be held to-morrow and the pastor, Rev. Dr. Campbell, will preach both morning and evening.

Young People's Guild.—On Monday evening next there will be an interesting meeting of the Guild, when an address will be delivered by Thornton Fell on "Asiatic Immigration."

Ladies' Meeting.—On Wednesday afternoon next the Ladies' Aid and Woman's Missionary Societies will meet at the home of Mrs. E. J. Martin, Third street, at 3 o'clock. It is hoped that all members will be present.

Synod of British Columbia.

The annual meeting of the Synod of British Columbia will take place next week in Vancouver. The first sederunt will be held in St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening, May 3, when the retiring moderator, Rev. Dr. Ferguson, of Nelson, will preach. The meetings will continue until Saturday afternoon. The usual theological conference which has generally followed immediately after the Synod has been postponed until the last week in July, when Drs. Stalker and Garvie will be present. It is hoped to make the conference of much greater influence and ministers from Seattle and other points will be present and take part in the proceedings.

CONGREGATIONAL.
First Church.

Y.P.S.—The regular monthly devotional meeting of the Young People's Society will be held next Monday evening. The subject for discussion will be "Lessons From the Lives of Great Men—Joshua."

Girl Guides.—Next Tuesday at 4 p.m. there will be a meeting to organize another troop of Girl Guides. Some members of Troop A will form the nucleus of the new troop, and these with others who wish to join make the prospect for the new troop a good one. The meetings will be held each week at 4 p.m., thus giving the opportunity to those who have not been able to attend the evening meetings. Miss Braik and Miss Harger will be in charge.

Social Gathering.—On Tuesday evening there will be a social gathering of the congregation and friends under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. It is hoped to make the event an excellent opportunity for all to get better acquainted. A short programme will be rendered, when the following will take part: Misses Hunter, violin and piano; Miss Morrison, vocal solo; Misses McIntosh, vocal duett; and the male quartette of the church.

Sunday Services.—To-morrow evening Rev. Dr. Spencer, of the Local Option League, will preach, his subject being "A White Province."

METHODIST.
Metropolitan.

Successful Anniversary.—Very successful anniversary services were held last Sunday in connection with the Belmont Avenue Sunday school. In the morning the Rev. Andrew Henderson preached a very thoughtful sermon to a large congregation, and in the afternoon an open session of the school was held when addresses were delivered by Rev. A. Henderson and Rev. T. E. Holling. There was a very large number present. On Monday evening the anniversary exercises were continued. A most enjoyable programme was rendered, addresses were delivered by Rev. A. N. Miller and N. Shakespeare; and the annual report was given by the superintendent, Wm. Moore. This report showed that much progress had been made during the year, an increase being shown in every department.

Interesting Entertainment. — The "Tour of the World," given by the Ladies' Guild on Tuesday evening last, was a most enjoyable affair, and the ladies are very grateful to those who helped to make it such a great success. Japan, Germany, Scotland and Ireland were all visited by those who patronized the entertainment, and in each home representing these countries abundant preparation had been made for the pleasure of the guests. Mrs. Knott, as the hostess representing Japan, was fortunate in securing the aid of some members of the Japanese Methodist Mission, and the programme they gave was very characteristic of their country. A "German Band" was the feature at Mrs. Steinmitz', where the home of this celebrated species of band was represented. Scotland was shown in true style by the handsome costumes worn by members of the family of Mrs. J. M. McCallum and by the very Scottish programme rendered. The last call of the "tourists" was made at Ireland, where Mrs. E. O. Weston received them in typical Irish style. The many helpers all did their parts well and the entertainment was pronounced by all an unqualified success.

Reception Service. — To-morrow morning, there will be a public reception of members, and the pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, will be in the vestry previous to the morning service to receive any who may have not yet handed in their church letters. He will be glad to meet with any who desire to unite with the church at this time.

Sacramental Services.—The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of both morning and evening services to-morrow.

Notable Address.—Thos. Ryan, ex-mayor of Winnipeg, gave a most interesting missionary address last Sunday evening which was greatly appreciated by the congregation. Mr. Ryan is full of enthusiasm, and has been assisting the work of the Laymen's Missionary Movement by delivering addresses wherever he has stopped on his trip through the west. He is one of the leaders of the movement in Winnipeg.

Centennial.

Quarterly Service.—To-morrow evening the quarterly sacramental service will be held. There will also be a reception of members and many newcomers will be welcomed.

Prayer Service. — Last Thursday evening the members of the Centennial Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society conducted the regular prayer service. The meeting was well attended and a feature was the visit of some local Chinese who gave an exhibition of their musical instruments. A liberal offering was taken for the China famine fund.

James Bay.

Epworth League.—A very interesting meeting was held last Monday evening under the direction of the citizenship committee of the Epworth League, when F. W. Davey gave an address on "The Social Effects of Christianity."

Quarterly Board.—On Tuesday evening last the regular meeting of the quarterly official board was held. The reports for the past year showed that every department of the church was in a flourishing condition. The following stewards were elected for the ensuing year, C. Spencer, J. Dilworth, R. Jalland, J. Renfree, Sr., J. Lewis, Justin Gilbert and S. Dawe. Mr. Gilbert was elected recording steward and Mr. Dilworth delegate to the annual district meeting.

Sunday School Meeting.—On Wednesday evening the annual meeting of the Sunday school committee of management was held. F. W. Davey was unanimously re-elected superintendent, and W. E. Hodges assistant superintendent. F. Fraser was elected secretary, J. E. Fuller treasurer and Ira Dilworth pianist. The teachers were all continued in office. It was decided to establish a labor bureau in connection with the school. The reports showed that a very successful year's work had been accomplished.

Mission Circle.—On Thursday last the Mission Circle met for the purpose of electing officers. After enjoying supper together the following officers were elected: Superintendent, Miss Dilworth; assistant, Mrs. Scales; president, Miss Grace Miller; recording secretary, Miss Ruth Miller; corresponding secretary, Miss Edith Edwards; treasurer, Miss H. McQuarrie.

Sunday Services.—To-morrow there will be a reception service for new members and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service. In the evening the Rev. Mr. Griffiths of Columbian College will preach.

Victoria West.

Epworth League.—The election of officers for the Epworth League took place last Monday evening with the following results: President, Miss C. Robinson; 1st vice-president, Miss S. Beattie; 2nd vice-president, Miss E. Robinson; 3rd vice-president, Miss Brown; 4th vice-president, A. J. McKenzie; secretary, Miss M. Wood; treasurer, Mrs. Rookledge; organist, Miss Beth Beattie.

Quarterly Official Board.—The regular meeting of the quarterly official board was held last Wednesday evening. The reports showed every department of the church's activity in good order, and that a very successful year's work had been accomplished. The following stewards were elected: W. Beattie, R. W. Driver, C. Mitchell, A. Weight, W. C. Bond, C. Brown, A. J. McKenzie. Mr. Beattie was re-elected recording steward; R. M. Fullerton was reappointed class leader, with C. Brown as assistant. The new department created by the general conference last August known as district visitors was adopted and the following were elected: Mrs. Monteith, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Rookledge, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Burrows, Miss E. Robinson and Miss S. Beattie.

Sunday School Meeting.—The annual meeting of the Sunday school committee of management was held last Tuesday evening, when A. J. Daniels was re-elected superintendent, R. W. Driver assistant, and Wm. Mitchell secretary.

BAPTIST.
First Church.

To-morrow's Services.—Special features will mark the service in First church to-morrow. Rev. Dr. Spencer, local option superintendent, will preach in the morning on "A White Province." At 3.30 p.m. the city lodges of the I.O.O.F. will listen to a special sermon by the pastor. At 7.30 p.m. the monthly young people's popular service, when Mr. Warnicker will deal with the subject of "War—Would Its Abolition be in the Best Interests of Humanity?"

Mission Circle.—The monthly meeting of the Women's Mission Circle will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The topic for discussion will be "The Gospel in Central America." Mrs. M. E. Walker will lead.

Sunday School Meeting.—The prayer meeting last Thursday evening was entirely in the interests of the Sunday school. "Why I Believe in the S. S.", "The Need of Prayer", "The Help of Parents" and "The S. S. Vision" were topics handled respectively by Messrs. J. W. H. King, J. Marshall, R. Bagshaw and O. S. Knisely. Selections were rendered by the choir of the home school and a vocal solo by Miss J. Middleton. Dr. W. Russell occupied the chair.

Handkerchief Sale.—The Ladies' Aid are actively engaged in preparation for the handkerchief and house plant sale to be held on the afternoon and evening of Thursday next. During the evening a concert programme will be carried out. The ladies are hoping for a large attendance of their friends.

B.Y.P.U.—The subject of the young people's meeting on Monday evening will be "Bible Needs in America." This will be the monthly missionary meeting.

Burnside Mission.—The ladies of the mission are planning to hold a sale of work and concert in the new building on the evening of Wednesday, May 10. Further announcement in succeeding issues.

Assistant Pastor.—Rev. R. R. Thorpe, who has accepted the call to become assistant pastor of First church, arrived in the city this week. Mr. Thorpe will take an active part in the development of the work in Burnside district and will preach in the new building each Sunday evening.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING NEXT WEEK

Annual Gathering Opens in Metropolitan Church on Wednesday Morning

The annual meeting of the Victoria district of the Methodist church will be held in the Metropolitan church on Wednesday and Thursday next. The ministerial session, which deals with matters relating particularly to the ministers and probations for the ministry, will commence at 9.30 a.m. Wednesday. The general session, attended by both ministers and laymen, will convene at 2.30 p.m. the same day.

On Wednesday evening a Young People's Meeting will be held when the Rev. S. T. Bartlett, general secretary of the Young People's and Sunday school department of the Methodist church, will deliver an address. There will be an inspiring song service at the commencement of the meeting, and it is hoped that the young people of the Methodist churches of the city will make a point to attend.

Thursday morning the general session will be continued, and on Thursday afternoon a district Sunday school institute will be held. The Rev. A. N. Miller, district Sunday school secretary, will report upon the state of the Sunday schools on the district; Mrs. Scales will give a paper on "Primary Work" and the Rev. S. T. Bartlett will conduct a "Round Table Conference on Modern Sunday School Methods."

On Thursday evening the series of meetings will be brought to a close by a Sunday school rally. There will be an interesting programme of music under the direction of Edward Parsons, organist of the church, and an address will be delivered by the Rev. S. T. Bartlett on "The Influence of the Sunday School Upon the Life of the Individual." All interested in Sunday school work are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

All the sessions in connection with the district meeting will be open to the public (with the exception of the ministerial session), and some interesting discussions will take place.

WANT SUNDAY PICTURE SHOWS.

Hull moving picture theatres will remain open on Sunday. Magistrate Goyette has decided in favor of the theatres and dismissed the order of the provincial government to compel the theatres to close on Sunday.

Magistrate Goyette, in giving judgment, stated that Judge Cross, of Montreal, had found the picture men guilty and an appeal from his decision was now before the Privy Council.

"On the Privy Council's decision everything depends," said the magistrate.

A petition signed by 3,000 people, sent to the attorney-general against the closing of the theatres on Sunday, will show that the decision of Magistrate Goyette will be received with much satisfaction by many of the people.

The Province of Vancouver has recently started a column headed "What About the Churches." The department is under the direction of the Rev. W. Ashley Hall, of the Mount Pleasant Methodist church, and appears in Thursday's paper.

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VESTRY MEETING OF ST. BARNABAS PARISH

Satisfactory Reports — Much Money in Hand for the New Edifice

The annual meeting of St. Barnabas parish was held on Wednesday in the school room. The rector took the chair.

In his report to the vestry he pointed out a few important changes necessitated by the new set of canons put forth by order of the synod.

1. Relating to annual election of lay representatives.

2. The electoral roll to be signed by male members of full age who have attended the parish church for three months previous to exercising their franchise.

3. A declaration to be signed by church wardens on taking office.

The chairman stated that E. E. Wootton, registrar of the diocese, was now ex-officio a member of synod, and consequently need not be elected.

Continuing his report the rector said there were 2,048 communions made during the year; there were 200 church families with 554 individuals, 290 communicants, 145 Sunday school scholars, 14 teachers, 48 baptisms, 17 churchings, 21 marriages, 14 conferences, 10 burials. The duplex envelope for missions had produced $36.35 during the first quarter and is steadily increasing. The income of the parish amounted to $5,062.78, with credit balances on the various accounts amounting to $2,242.30.

The rector also reported to the vestry that, with the acquiescence of the Rev. H. A. Collinson, vicar of Cedar Hill, a mission would be started in the district of Oaklands, consisting of Sunday school and mission service. This would have to be mainly arranged for by the St. Andrew's Brotherhood.

Following was the result of the election of officers:

Vestry clerk—D. B. MacLaren (re-elected).

Rector's warden—E. E. Wootton.

People's warden—A. J. Abbott.

Lay delegates to Synod—Mr. Justice Martin, T. W. Palmer, A. Longfield, J. S. Bailey, A. Pickman, A. J. Abbott.

Church committee—A. M. Bannerman, H. Moss, Robt. Brown, H. Allnutt, J. B. Barker, W. Scrase, G. W. Knox, E. M. McConnan, A. V. Elmhurst, C. Hampton.

Sidesmen—T. S. Mills, T. H. Davies, A. E. Newberry, P. D. Bannerman, T. Norris, C. Probert, E. Smart, A. Mutlow.

Delegates to ruri-decanal conference—Wardens and lay readers, ex-officio; A. Longfield, H. Moss, A. M. Bannerman.

Reports from church committee, working societies, the Sunday school and the new church committee were adopted and ordered to be spread on the minutes. The report of the new church committee showed a total of $7,620.21, with cash in bank, $2,003.31.

Arising out of the church committee report two matters were dealt with, the rectory house property and the pension fund. It was decided that the parish could not purchase the property at the amount asked, but that the necessary repairs would be paid for by the parish from time to time until a more suitable rectory could be obtained. The matter of the clergy pension fund was received and laid on the table for further consideration, the rector's warden reading the canon as passed by the Synod regarding this important matter.

T. S. Mills and H. Moss were appointed auditors to audit the new church building fund after July 19 of this year. The following were re-elected to serve on new church committees:

Finance committee—A. Longfield (treasurer), A. M. Bannerman, A. V. Elmhurst, Robt. Brown, A. Allnutt, A. I. Abbott, Mrs. Dauphin, Mrs. Bannerman, Mrs. Longfield, Miss Bailey, Mrs. Watson, Miss Reynolds.

Building committee—The rector and wardens, ex-officio; Robt. Brown, A. M. Bannerman, A. V. Elmhurst, J. D. Bishop and H. Longfield.

A resolution was passed that the building committee consider the advisability of getting plans to lay before the congregation.

After the usual votes of thanks to the retiring officers and the various societies the meeting adjourned.

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MISSIONARY EXHIBIT.

New England is just now alive to an exhibition of missionary work in home and foreign fields. It is called the "World in Boston," and the world is to stay there, so to speak, from April 22 to May 20. It is missions in the concrete; an ambitious attempt to portray in buildings, people, picture and personal explanation, the efforts everybody everywhere is making to spread Christianity; to show to the supporters of missions at home conditions under which the work is done, and some of the successes achieved.

The scale of the Boston exhibition exceeds even that of London. No fewer than ten thousand persons, trained and costumed, are to serve in the booths, and be able intelligently to answer questions of visitors concerning their countries and Christian work in them. This vast number is needed since all are to be volunteers, and they remain only a few hours each daily.

The choir is to be stupendous in size. Its number is 2,400, of whom alone 1,200 will be sopranos. Some members of the choir will serve also in the pageant. This pageant is a musical drama, and is to be given every afternoon in a hall seating 6,000. The characters are to act, and there will be five episodes. The first will depict the American Indian, with a chief's lost daughter; the second in Africa, Livingstone ministers to a wounded Arab slave raider; the third the Christian queen of the Sandwich Islands defies and overthrows an evil goddess at the mouth of a volcano's crater; in the fourth there is a funeral pyre for a child wife of India, and in the final one a grouping of all, formed in the shape of a star.

Saturdays are to be children's days, and there are to be days for each denomination, state days for students and for many other classes.

People everywhere are taking interest in this venture because it covers the whole missionary problem, the city missions, missions everywhere, because it is big, because it comes at a time when Christian attention is alert, because it is to cost many thousands of dollars expended in really worth while outfit, and because it is later to be presented in other cities or centres.

BERNARD SHAW SCHOOLS.

Has Dream by Which Boredom Can be Transformed Into Utopia.

Likening schools to prisons and deploring provisions for the old while children went without pocket money, George Bernard Shaw told an educational meeting what he thought of current educational methods. He expressed the belief that the fact of religion being made one of the subjects to be taught in school was one of the causes of the intense destation for religion which now characterized the English people. Persons never changed and the schools to-day were exactly as they were when he was a boy, namely places in which to keep children out of the way of their parents.

The schools of the future, he predicted, would be schools in the sense that theatres were schools.

No child would be compelled and every child would be free to quit the moment the teacher bored him. Children would then have recognized rights. There would be no greater instance of topsy-turveydom than the giving of pensions to aged people, while the majority of children were without pocket money. They should have an allowance granted them as soon as they had learned the multiplication table. They should also be taught to make charge.

The drama he regarded as one of the best things for the training of little minds. It gave children an artistic education and enlarged their souls. He pictured a child growing up to manhood under the influence of worthy dramatic representations which would keep its senses healthy and occupied and prevent its yielding to unworthy and destructive courses. He would like to see a play submitted as a test to see if it would make young men go home and stay after they had seen it. He was sure that "Mrs. Warren's Profession" would send a young man home for a fortnight.

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Holt Liner Which Grounded in Red Sea Arrives Here in October

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—The big American square-rigger Aryan, the last of her type ever constructed, is expected to arrive on Puget Sound to-day from San Francisco. The Aryan is coming up the coast in tow of the tug Dauntless, leaving the Golden Gate April 20.

The vessel recently arrived at San Diego from Philadelphia after a voyage of more than 200 days. When the Aryan put into port the captain was blind from fighting a fire which raged in the hold of the ship and the crew had suffered the privations of hunger, as the vessel had run short of provisions long before her voyage was completed.

Her passage is the longest ever recorded by a vessel of her type. The vessel will put in at Port Blakeley, where she will load a shipment of spars for the Atlantic coast.

It is announced that the Blue Funnel liner Cyclops, which went ashore at Shedda in the Red Sea on February 22, 1909, is to resume her run to Seattle next fall. The Cyclops has been repaired and overhauled and will sail from Liverpool on August 19, arriving in Seattle on October 28.

Steamships Northwestern, Dolphin and Santa Ana arrived yesterday from Alaskan ports. The steam freighter Meteor, which has been overhauled, has gone to Bellingham to load machinery for the Treadwell mine.

REACH DESTINATIONS.

Sailing Vessels Carrying Grain Cargoes Have Been Reported.

Three vessels of the California grain fleet, the Jean Baptiste, 183 days out; the General Faidherbe, 141 days out, and the Bretagne, 128 days out, have arrived at their destinations, the first two on the 20th, and the latter on the 22nd.

The Jean Baptiste has on board a cargo of 57,169 centals barley, valued at $85,000. The General Faidherbe had a cargo amounting to 65,233 centals barley, valued at $72,767. The Bretagne had on board 64,140 centals barley valued at $70,599.

The French bark Babin Chevaye, 146 days out; the Theirs, 133 days out, and the Glenholm, 126 days out from Oregon, have reached port, the former on the 21st, and the two latter on the 22nd.

The Babin Chevaye had on board 66,197 centals wheat, valued at $96,000; the Theirs, 71,884 centals, valued at $105,430, and the Glenholm 72,780 centals, valued at $103,000.

Three vessels of the Puget Sound grain fleet, the Eugene Pergeline, 136 days out; the Notre Dame d'Arvor, 154 days out, and the Montcalm, 152 days out, arrived at Falmouth, the first two on the 21st, and the latter on the 22nd.

The Eugene Pergeline has on board a cargo of 67,651 centals wheat, valued at $101,476; the Montcalm, 66,679 centals, valued at $101,700, and the Notre Dame d'Arvor, 70,833 centals, valued at $107,691.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS

There is a settlement known as Pacofi at the head of Selwyn inlet, Moresby island, Queen Charlotte islands, where the Pacific Coast Reorganization Syndicate has established a factory and built a wharf. This wharf is 368 feet long with an ell 72 feet long. There is a depth at the head of the wharf of 14 feet at low water and a depth in the approach of nowhere less than 4 fathoms. The wharf is near the southwest extreme of the head of the inlet and the channel up to the wharf is close to the south shore. The head of the wharf is in latitude N. 52 degs. 51 min. 30 sec.; longitude W. 131 degs. 57 min. 30 sec.

There are two shoals north of the channel which have been marked by the company as follows:

1. Amur rock, having on it 12 feet water, lying about 4 cables northeastward from the wharf, marked by a black barrel buoy.

2. A shoal having on it depths down to ½ fathom, marked at its outer end by a platform buoy exhibiting a red lantern light from the pyramidal wooden top, and the inner end, 2-3 cable north from the wharf, marked by a spar buoy.

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LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS GET ANOTHER RAISE

Increase of 20 to 35 Per Cent. Effective From Beginning of January

Taking effect from the beginning of the present year, an increase has just been granted by the Dominion government by which salaries of the lighthouse keepers of Canada have been raised from 20 to 35 per cent. The men who keep lonely vigil over the waters of this coast will receive their arrears since January 1. In every instance the increase has been a substantial one.

It is not very long ago since the lighthouse keepers were awarded a good increase. The government, however, has sized the proposition up rightly, in their belief that the men who take up positions on the stormy shores or barren islands should be well paid. The highest salary on this coast is $1,770, and this class includes Race Rocks, Cape Beale, Carmanah Point and Pine Island.

The new scale of wages and the old are as follows:

	New.	Old.
Active Pass	$1,170.00	$ 960.00
Amphitrite Point	390.00	270.00
Berens Island	517.50	397.50
Brockton Point	517.50	397.50
Bare Point	270.00	180.00
Ballenas Islands	1,170.00	960.00
Birnie Island	390.00	270.00
Balfour	210.00	150.00
Cape Beale	1,770.00	1,440.00
Carmanah Point	1,770.00	1,440.00
Cape Mudge	570.00	450.00
Crofton Light	270.00	195.00
Discovery Island	1,170.00	960.00
Dryad Point	517.50	397.50
Denman Island	570.00	450.00
Entrance Island	1,470.00	1,200.00
Egg Island	1,545.00	1,260.00
Fisgard	502.50	382.50
Fiddle Reef	570.00	450.00
Fraser R. with Garry Point	570.00	450.00
Green Island	1,320.00	1,020.00
Ivory Island	1,170.00	960.00
Kyuquot Light	390.00	270.00
Lawyer Island	780.00	600.00
Lucy Island	817.50	547.50
Merry Island	570.00	450.00
North Arm Lights	345.00	240.00
Nanaimo Harbor	330.00	225.00
Point Atkinson	1,320.00	1,020.00
Portlock Point	517.50	397.50
Prospect Point	517.50	397.50
Pointer Island	607.50	487.50
Porlier Pass	570.00	500.00
Pine Island	1,770.00	1,440.00
Pilot Bay	570.00	500.00
Procter	390.00	270.00
Pulteney Point	607.50	500.00
Patey Rock	210.00	150.00
Quatsino	502.50	382.50
Race Rocks	1,770.00	1,440.00
Saturna Island	900.00	690.00
Sand Heads L. Ship.	1,470.00	1,200.00
Sisters	1,020.00	810.00
Scarlett Point	562.50	442.50
Sechart Light	270.00	195.00
Sooke Light	210.00	150.00
Trial Island	1,470.00	1,200.00
Triangle Island	1,320.00	1,020.00
Yellow Island	1,020.00	795.00
Yuquot Light	480.00	360.00

SKAGWAY'S SPRING THREE WEEKS LATE

Snow Shows No Sign of Melting but Ice is Thinner Than Usual

Skagway, Alaska, April 29.—The present season is much later than any for some time back and some delay will be caused to those waiting to get into the Iditarod and other points down the river. Harry Barrington, one of the oldest river boat captains, said that the present season is three weeks late. It is stated, however, that the ice on Lake Labarge is thinner than usual and that as a consequence will go out earlier. The weather here is unusually severe, snowfall being almost continuous. The rotary plow is requisitioned every day on the summit and the snow drifts show no signs of melting. Several hundred persons bound for the Iditarod are expected to pass through this place, and many more who are waiting more favorable climatic conditions preferring to await the breakup in Skagway rather than White Horse.

A large amount of freight for the Iditarod is arriving. It includes part of the electric equipment to be installed at the new diggings.

There has been a persistent rumor that the rates on the White Pass & Yukon railroad will be reduced by one-third, but it is at present nothing more than a rumor, although passengers on the boats from Seattle have arrived here under the impression that the reduced rates have already been put in force.

MODIFICATION OF RULE.

Travel to Alaska Stimulated by Announcement Made by Government.

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—The regulations of public health and marine hospital service relative to vaccination of passengers departing for Alaska have been so modified that travellers suffer no inconvenience. Only persons who have been exposed to smallpox need to be vaccinated. For a few days no one could even buy a ticket to Alaska until he had been vaccinated and other persons were obliged to undergo the inspection. Travel to Alaska is very heavy, on account of a desire to descend the Yukon as soon as the ice breaks, in order to be early into the Iditarod diggings, where a spring clean-up of five million dollars of gold dust is expected.

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CARRIES FULL CARGO TO ORIENTAL PORTS

Seattle Maru Leaves To-day —Zealandia and Mexico Maru Due Wednesday

Laden to her capacity with general freight for distribution at various Oriental ports, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Seattle Maru, Capt. Saito, left the outer wharf this afternoon at 3 o'clock for the Far East. Her cargo amounted to about 7,000 tons, including machinery, flour, wheat, lumber and fish. The largest item on the freight list was a sugar mill consigned to Keelung, Formosa, which is the biggest ever shipped from Puget Sound to Japan. It weighs 1,200 tons, and was brought to Tacoma from the east on 40 flat cars. Nearly 2,000 sewing machines were stowed in the holds of the vessel, which will fill a vacancy in the homes of many of the residents of the Orient. J. McLorie, local manager of the Mount Royal Milling Co., left on the vessel on a business trip.

Another vessel of the same line, the Mexico Maru will be the next liner to reach this port from Yokohama. She is due to arrive here on Wednesday morning next, and is bringing a large cargo of freight as well as a number of passengers to Victoria. She will discharge here about 450 tons of rice, sugar, matting, curios and porcelain. Her silk cargo amounts to about a quarter of a million dollars.

A large number of other steamships have also pointed their noses to this port, including the Canadian-Australian liner Zealandia, which left Honolulu on Wednesday, and is due to arrive here on Wednesday next. She has a very large passenger list, bringing a number of Australians who will attend the coronation in London. The cargo which she is bringing amounts to 1,500 tons, consisting of frozen meats and other products of the Antipodes.

Four Oriental boats have left Yokohama within the last three days for Victoria. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sado Maru, and the Strathardle, under charter to the Bank line, left the Japanese port on Thursday; the C. P. R. steamship Monteagle yesterday, and the Blue Funnel liner Tuecer to-day.

The Canadian-Mexican liner St. Ronald is due to arrive here from Salina Cruz.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

April 28.

Seattle — Arrived: Steamer Northwestern, Valdez; Queen, San Francisco; steamer Dolphin, Skagway; steamer Wasp, San Francisco. Sailed, steamer Governor, San Diego, via San Francisco; steamer State of California, Skagway.

Tacoma—Arrived: Steamer Charles Nelson, San Francisco. Sailed, steamer Hyades, Honolulu.

San Francisco—Arrived: Steamers Tiverton, Ludlow; China, Hongkong; City of Puebla, Victoria; Albatross, San Jose de Cabo; Oleum, Philadelphia. Sailed: Steamers Santa Monica, Grays Harbor; Maverick, Seattle; Arizonian, Honolulu; Saginaw, Astoria; Roanoke, Portland; Lehua, Bristol Bay; Newburg, Grays Harbor.

Portland—Arrived: Steamer Bear, San Pedro, via San Francisco; Olsen and Mahoney, San Francisco; Alliance, Eureka, via Coos Bay. Sailed: Steamer Beaver, San Francisco and San Pedro; British steamer Lucerio, Yokohama, via Seattle; steamer Thomas L. Wand, Everett; steamer Roma, Port San Luis.

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ORIENTAL FREIGHT TAKEN ACROSS GULF

Princess Ena Leaves for Vancouver With 1,000 Tons—Going to Skagway

Spending all day yesterday at the outer wharf loading a cargo of freight for Vancouver and considerable for Skagway and other points on the northern run, the C. P. R. freighter Princess Ena, Capt. Campbell, left here last night on her long run with over 1,000 tons stowed beneath her hatches. The vessel took on a quantity of freight at the inner harbor docks on Thursday and her holds were well filled when she sailed from here.

As the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and Osaka Shosen Kaisha liners do not call at Vancouver, all the freight consigned to that port is discharged here. Consequently there is generally a large amount of cargo awaiting shipment to the Terminal City, and the local it. When the Inaba Maru arrived verit. When the Inaba Maru arrived here on Wednesday last she discharged a large quantity of freight for Vancouver, consisting principally of rice and sugar. The Ena loaded all of this and some other which arrived on other vessels.

Besides the Vancouver cargo the vessel is carrying a great deal to Skagway to relieve the regular passenger vessels of it. During the summer months the Ena is used on this run and handles much freight. She will stop at many ports along the coast and is taking some cargo for the canneries. At Vancouver she will take on other northern freight.

On Thursday night the steamer Otter left port with a good cargo to be delivered amongst the islands of the Gulf. At present there is no regular vessel carrying the freight bound for the islands, and the people there are placed in an awkward position. The matter of the C. P. R. placing a steamer on the run is still in the hands of the head office and no word has been here as to wether the company will comply with the wishes of the residents there or not.

MANUKA REACHES 'FRISCO.

Arrives From Australia One Day Ahead of Schedule.

San Francisco, Cal., April 29. The British steamer Manuka of the Union Steamship Line, arrived on Thursday from Wellington one day ahead of her schedule. She leaves on her return to New Zealand next Monday.

The American-Hawaiian steamer Isthmian, which left Thursday for Salina Cruz, carried 46,000 bushels of barley for New York in addition to heavy shipments of wine and canned goods. The total value of her cargo was over $450,000. It was reported here yesterday that J. Homer Fritch has just sold the steam schooner Carmel to the Caspar Lumber Company. Olson and Mahony took over the management of the steamer Carlos from Fritch yesterday.

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NOTICE

Estate of John Augustus Wood, late of St. Charles Street, Victoria, B. C.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased who died on the 30th January, 1911, are required to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 30th May, 1911, after which date the executors will distribute the estate having regard only to those claims of which they then have notice.

Dated the 28th day of April, 1911.

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CEDRIC, from New York	May 27
TEUTONIC, from Montreal	May 27
LUSITANIA, from New York	May 31
ROYAL GEORGE, from Montreal	May 31
EMPRESS OF IRELAND, from Quebec	June 2
CORSICAN, from Montreal	June 2
BALTIC, from New York	June 3
CARONIA, from New York	June 3
CELTIC, from New York	June 8
MEGANTIC, from Montreal	June 10
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In the Green Room

If proof were needed that Victorians will patronize the theatre for an attraction which plays more than one night, when a reasonable price is charged, it was afforded this week. "Madame Sherry," one of the most delightful musical offerings of the whole season—and several previous ones—drew crowded houses for two nights, in sharp distinction to a recent case when a minimum of a dollar frightened people away.

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The Victoria Amateur Dramatic Club rehearsals are going along smoothly as to two of the plays selected, and Stage Manager Sheridan Bickers. The third, which was cast for women characters only, he has wisely taken off, and it will be replaced by something which will not offer as great difficulties. Rather not, though, that the fair sex should find even one case in which they could not capture "Mere Man"!

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It is announced from Montreal that Sarah Bernhardt will close her American tour there in June, playing Maeterlinck's "Sister Beatrice." The added information is given that she will present this for its first time in America during her San Francisco engagement. Some one is out in his information in that regard. "Beatrice" was put on by the New Theatre Company in New York during the past winter, and was one of its chief successes. Later, if we are not mistaken, it was staged in Boston and also in Montreal. Even San Francisco will not see it for the first time. It is a coincidence that Miss Nethersole was billed to appear in it in that city during present week.

The Divine Sarah is somewhere in the southwestern States at present and is expected to reach this latitude some time next month.

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In stage life many of the men who have achieved the greatest success have been below the normal stature. Edwin Booth was a very small man, and Holbrook Blinn, a signally clever actor, who will soon be seen in a new play called "The Boss," is beneath the average height. Guy Bates Post, who plays Philip Morrow in "The Nigger," is a small man, but his work is so absorbing that this fact is lost sight of. Lee Shubert, the head of the Shubert firm, is a small man and quite boyish in appearance, and Wm. A. Brady, who has over thirty theatrical productions this season, is small of stature.

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New York theatre-goers, says the New York Herald, may see the Passion Play, which many now journey to Oberammergau to witness, if William A. Brady carries out a plan he has to present the drama this season. He has seen the foreign production twice, and for a long time has had in mind to present the play on the American continent.

What deterred him was the idea that the public would not approve of the Christ being represented on the stage. He has changed his mind since seeing that "La Samartaine," which Mme. Bernhardt presented in the Globe theatre, and "Mary Magdalene," as acted by Miss Olga Netherscle at the New Theatre, have been accepted.

One version of the Passion Play has been presented in Santa Clara, Cal., under the auspices of the Paulist Fathers, and Mr. Brady is considering bringing that company to play in a New York theatre. Failing that, he may produce the play in New York with one of his own companies.

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The Advance Man

Lew Dockstader.

Lew Dockstader and the organization touring under his management, and which he is pleased to call his Twentieth Century Minstrels, will appear on Monday at the Victoria theatre.

Mr. Dockstader and his company have not been seen in this section for three seasons now, but his coming will be none the less welcome on that account, as he is a great favorite both artistically and socially in this city. Some there may be who will affirm that minstrel shows are going out of fashion, but there are hosts of theatre-goers who still give allegiance to this purely American form of entertainment, and all of them will admit that Dockstader is at the head of his own particular profession.

This is due no doubt to the fact that Dockstader always keeps abreast of the times; is an omniverous reader of the daily papers and keeps thoroughly posted on the news of the day. It is said that in this present show he has gotten away from the old-fashioned minstrel show and that it really possesses a plot, and he points with pride to the fact that it is the only entertainment of the kind which ever had a story. The proverbial first part is changed so much that it would scarcely be recognized by any of the old-timers.

It must not be inferred, however, that all the features of old-time minstrelsy have been eliminated. The promise is given that the company is composed of a full quota of singers, dancers and comedians, many of whom are well and favorably known in their own particular field. Among the most prominent are: Carroll Johnson, Eddie Mazier, Happy Naulty, Charles Falk, William Brandt, Frank Farren, Allan Campbell, Charles Raymond, Thomas Hughes, Willie Smith, and about 70 others.

New Grand Theatre.

Mlle. Ani Hill, who is on Sullivan and Considine tour after three notable years in Great Britain and on the Continent, is a demonstration of what the feminine physique may be brought to in both muscular and athletic development. As an athlete she is easily the equal of any male professional of the highest rank. She will offer at the Grand Monday a line of aerial feats, for a matter of that, which are attempted only by the male exponents of the art.

The winsome little comedienne Patrice is to be a Sullivan and Considine feature in "The Lobbyist," a playlet she has made famous and which has been discussed, because of the realism and the moral lesson it carries. Of Patrice's ability as an actress there is need to say nothing. Her reputation is national. She has associated with her players especially selected for the difficult parts assigned to them.

Carita Day is that rare vaudeville combination, dancer and signer. It may not be an actual condition in vaudeville, but certainly it is the tradition that the good dancer is never the good singer, and vice versa. Miss Day comes to upset tradition, the exception to the accepted vaudeville rule, for she dances like a fairy and sings with exceptional charm. Add to these qualities a wealth of personal beauty and charm and Carita stands out as a topline attraction.

Charles D. Webber, comedian juggler, and what he calls his "highly trained troupe of tame hats," will be a feature of the next Grand bill. Webber has juggled and laughed his way twice round the world, and is on his way for the third time. It is his first tour in popular vaudeville, however, so that he is wholly a new attraction along the S. and C. route.

Mueller and Mueller neither dance nor "patter," but they do sing, and they do it delightfully and differently. They are boys of highly pleasing presence and with voices highly cultured. For their current tour they have a repertoire of Broadway's latest hits.

"The Mikado."

Gilbert and Sullivan's masterpiece, "The Mikado," will be presented at the Victoria theatre Saturday, May 6, by a company from Vancouver under the direction of The Pollards.

For several years there have been held in Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto, successively, competitions by amateur organizations from different parts of Canada for the Earl Grey trophies. These societies have entered from Halifax, Toronto, Montreal, St. Johns, Ottawa, and as far west as Winnipeg, but up to the present British Columbia has had no representation. A spectator at one of the performances, a gentleman who has acted as judge in several of these competitions, has assured the committee that the production of "The Mikado" will compare more than favorably with any amateur company he has seen. Such being the case, there is no reason why British Columbia should not endeavor to annex one of these trophies, and under the tutelage of Alfred Goulding, the stage director of the Pollard Opera Company, the amateurs would certainly reflect credit on British Columbia.

With this object in view a number of influential citizens have been interviewed, and their enthusiasm in regard to the scheme has only been exceeded by their generosity. Judging by their reception of the proposition the Vancouver Amateur Operatic Society will not lack financial backing should they carry out their present plans.

Sheffield Choir Concerts.

The coming of the famous Sheffield Choir, which will give musical festivals here at the Drill Hall on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, May 17th and 18th, under the royal patronage of His Majesty the King and His Excellency Earl Grey, president of the festivals, promises to be a grand event, and is being looked forward to by local music lovers with a deal of delight.

The two unique elements in the singing of the Sheffield Choir and those which give it distinctive individuality, are the quality of atmosphere that pervades each work that it sings, and the remarkable manner in which the individual voice is eliminated, so that in all sections the choristers sing as with one voice. What one has described as "atmosphere," Dr. Coward expresses in a somewhat different way. He terms it "characterization," and is preparing a treatise on characterization in choral music which will be published on his return from his world tour. For fifteen years before he became a choral director, he was a musical critic in the north of England. He continually harped on this matter of characterization and denounced the sing-song methods that were formerly in vogue in the rendering of the oratories of Handel and Mendelssohn, not to mention lighter works. He demanded of the choral director a closer analysis and a detailed treatment that would bring out the individual character of the composition. He asked for a finish that would produce an absolutely pure and transparent tone. He was charged with demanding the impossible—"you can't have the cart without the rumble," argued the conductor whom he criticized.

It goes without saying that Dr. Coward could not carry out his ideas without a large body of good voices of a sound preliminary training. These are obtainable in the north of England, where, on Arnold Bennett's assurance, it is common for men absolutely deficient in other branches of culture to play the Hallelujah chorus and Beethoven's fifth symphony on the cornet and concertina. This idea of Dr. Coward's of a choir as a plastic mass through which the interpreting conductor expresses his individual conceptions of the work before him, is one that affords much scope for catholicity of judgment. It means that one can admire two choirs handled by conductors of diverse sympathies and individualities without condemning either one or the other.

Nine soloists, specially selected from the best that England to-day has, accompany the choir. Among them may be specially mentioned Miss Gertrude Lonsdale, who needs no introduction to Canadian audiences; Robert Charlsworth, one of England's best and most popular tenors; and Lady Norah Noel, the gifted daughter of Lord Cainsborough.

In all twenty-five Canadian cities and towns are being visited, embracing the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and the West. The choir has sung in several of the greatest cities in the United States, and will take its forewell of this continent when it sails on the Canadian-Australian liner Zealander from this port on May 19.

It will then visit New Zealand, Australia, Tasmania, Fiji, and the newborn Commonwealth of United South Africa before it turns homewards once more.

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(Signed) Mrs. M. C. Maitland, Jasper, Ont.

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EXCURSION TRAIN JUMPS TRACKS

NUMBER OF PASSENGERS REPORTED KILLED

Cars Roll Down Embankment—Fire Adds to Horror of Wreck

Easton, Pa., April 29.—An excursion train from Utica and Syracuse, N. Y., on its way to Washington, D. C., was wrecked to-day at Martin's Creek, N. J., eight miles north of this city.

There are conflicting reports regarding the killed, running from 25 down to none. Three cars were burned.

The train came down as far as Stroudsburg on the Deleware, Lackawanna and Western Road and was there transferred to the Pennsylvania Road. While the train was passing Martin's Creek going at the rate of fifty miles an hour, several cars left the track.

Almost immediately the cars took fire and their being no means to check the flames, the wreckage burned fiercely.

Every physician for miles around was summoned and hurried to the scene on special trains and in automobiles. Arrangements are being made to bring the injured to the hospitals in this city.

No Official Report.

New York, April 29.—The division superintendent of the Lackawanna in Hoboken had no details of the accident and only second hand reports. The report received was that a special train carrying a delegation of school teachers had been wrecked on the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad with the loss of 50 lives or more.

Fifteen Dead.

Scranton, Pa., April 29.—Lackawanna railroad officials at 4:30 p. m. reported word received of fifteen dead and forty injured in the wreck at Martin's Creek. The whole train was derailed and ditched.

CONDITION IS CRITICAL.

Lieut.-Governor Pelleter's Family Summoned to His Bedside.

(Special to the Times.)

Quebec, April 29.—Lieut.-Governor Pelletier took a serious turn for the worse early this morning and his death is expected at any time.

The members of his family have been summoned and are in attendance. Notwithstanding his condition yesterday, he insisted upon trying to sign some orders in council, but was obliged to desist after signing three of them.

FIFTEEN FAMILIES HOMELESS.

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, April 29.—There were thirty-five children among the eighty people driven from their homes shortly after three o'clock this morning by fire which destroyed dwellings at the corner of St. Antoine and St. Phillipe Sts. Fifteen families were left homeless. The fifteen families affected will suffer practically the total loss of their household possessions. Damage to the property is estimated at $4,000.

EXPLOSION KILLS FOUR.

Ottawa, April 29.—A thorough investigation into the cause of the explosion which Thursday blew up the drying house of the Dominion Explosives Company at Sand Point, and instantly killed four employees, will be made by the mines branch of the department of mines.

Are Your Kidneys Working Properly?

It Will Pay You Well to Make Sure

There's been a lot of "guessing" about rheumatism and rheumatic pains generally, but you can be dead sure that little pain across your back came from decreased kidney action.

The kidney's duty is to filter the blood—take out the impurities collected by the returning blood stream—do it just like absorbent cotton in a funnel filters the impurities from polluted water.

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SALARY DISCUSSION IN THE OPEN COUNCIL

Grant of $2,000 for Daughters of Empire Toward Expense of Fete

The city council went back on itself last night when it was agreed, on the motion of Alderman Langley, that the press representatives be allowed to remain during discussion on the estimates. When the question of the engineer came up recently it was deemed expedient that such a delicate matter as an officials salary should be spoken of in private, but in view of the ability of the press to get the news even from secret meetings, and the bitter feeling thus engendered, the council last night agreed to let the scribes remain at their posts.

The session was able to complete the consideration of the estimates and the necessary by-law giving effect to them will be introduced at an early date.

No further debate ensued in connection with the engineer's department, because on the suggestion of Mayor Morley the sum of $5,000 was set aside in the estimates for contingent salaries in connection with that department. The device was simple and efficacious, and all the aldermen embraced the opportunity of escaping further immediate entanglement in the meshes of the vexed question.

Some little discussion arose in connection with Dr. G. A. B. Hall, the medical health officer. His salary, at a recent meeting, was raised by $50 per month, making it $250, but last night Alderman W. F. Fullerton advocated increasing that official's salary to $300 per month. In doing so he expatiated on the good work that had been done by Dr. Hall during his term of office. He also pointed out that good men were hard to get and now that they had one they should endeavor to keep him by treating him well.

Alderman Okell was of the same opinion. As an alternative proposition, however, he stated that if the doctor was allowed to appoint an assistant so that he might undertake some private work himself he would accept the $250.

This proposition did not meet with any favor by the council.

While appreciating the spirit of the proposed increase for the medical health officer Mayor Morley did not think they were doing right. He certainly believed in good salaries, but he did not believe in boosting up the salary of a man who had only been in the service of the city for a few months. He thought that if the $50 increase was granted this year it would be time enough next year to consider the granting of the other $50. If they adopted this generous attitude toward one official they might as well do it to all of them. On the lines advocated they should raise the salaries of all the officials, and then they would have to raise the wind to pay them.

Alderman Langley took the same view of the situation as the mayor. He had also noticed that it was the practice of some medical men who came out west to get thoroughly acquainted with the people through the medium of a city post and when that object was accomplished they left the city in the lurch and went into private practice. While he had the greatest confidence in Dr. Hall's ability he thought that an increase of $600 a year was sufficient for any man.

The matter then went to a vote and the increase to $300 a month carried by six to four.

The salaries of several other officials were also boosted up. In order to do so they had to be reconsidered, but the council did not seem to mind spiking their previous findings. The salary of the plumbing inspector was raised to $150 per month, and that of the sanitary inspector to $125, the auditor to $100, and all the third-class engineers employed at the pumping station to $100 also.

On the suggestion of the mayor it was resolved that J. W. Astley, of Winnipeg, be offered the post of construction engineers at a salary of $4,000.

The sum of $2,000 was set aside toward the expenses of the coronation fete which is being arranged for by the Daughters of Empire. The sum asked for was $5,000.

The extraordinary expenditure of $135,000 applied for by the school board was refused. The school board will now request the city to submit a by-law to the ratepayers to authorize the raising of the money in the ordinary way.

PERSONAL.

George Rolland and his wife left last night for a trip to Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grant left yesterday for Seattle to meet Capt. and Mrs. Wm. Grant on their return from southern California, where they have spent the last five months.

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Theo. Feilden, one of the assistant managers of the London Times, was in the city yesterday on business connected with his paper, and paid a fraternal call on the Thunderer's Victoria namesake.

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Mrs. A. H. Mitchell (nee Edith Thomson), will hold her post nuptial reception Wednesday, May 3, at her new home, Hilton Cottage, Roseberry street, from 3 to 5 in the afternoon, and from 7.30 to 10 in the evening. She will be at home the first Wednesday in each month.

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John Oliver, Delta, was in town on Thursday, having come over to interview the government in regard to the tangle created by last session's amendments to the Municipal Clauses Act. The municipal committee did its work so carelessly that rural municipalities are prevented from carrying out works on the local improvement plan.

EARL GREY WILL HASTEN TO OTTAWA

Rumor That Political Situation is Responsible for Return to Capital

Winnipeg, April 29.—Earl Grey will leave to-night for Ottawa with his suite. This sudden change of plans has given rise to all kinds of political rumors here. Next week His Excellency was to have taken a prominent part in various social functions, including the horse show and the Sheffield choir festival of empire.

The Earl will be present at the play to-night and at the close of the performance the party will bid farewell to their friends in Winnipeg and go straight to the station, where they will board a special train the C. P. R. is providing to take them to Ottawa.

The Free Press will say this afternoon that it is understood that the political situation at Ottawa has had some effect on this sudden departure.

The programme arranged for to-day will be carried out intact. This includes a luncheon at Government House, the matinee performance of the musical and dramatic competition, a brief visit to the new and palatial banking premises of Messrs. Alloway & Champion, the laying of the foundation stone of the new Presbyterian Westminster church and to-night's dramatic programme.

WIRELESS REPORTS

April 29, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; thick seaward; 30.29; 50; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; wind N. W.; 30.31; 48; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind N. W., 6 miles; 30.30; 45; sea smooth. Out, steamship Governor.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 30.00; 50; sea smooth.

Estevan — Drizzling; calm; 29.86; 44; sea smooth.

Triangle — Overcast; wind E., 8 miles; 29.59; 39; sea smooth.

Ikeda—Drizzling; calm; 30.00; 50; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 30.12; 50; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; light S. W. breeze; 30.21; 58; sea smooth. Out, steamer Henriette, at 9:15 a. m.; Princess Mary docked at Nanaimo on time.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.16; 56; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind W., 8 miles; 30.29; 50; sea smooth. In, steamer Beckenham at 9 a. m.; Titania at 9:30 a. m.; Atlas towing barge at 10:50 a. m.; out, steamer Melville Dollar at 10:25 a. m.; outside bound in, 2-masted steamer.

Pachena—Clear; wind S. W.; 29.95; 53; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.88; 47; sea smooth.

Triangle—Overcast; wind S. E., 12 miles; 29.58; 42; sea smooth.

Ikeda—Cloudy; wind S. E., light; 30.09; 56; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear sky; calm; 30.12; 50; sea smooth. Spoke City of Seattle at 8:05 a. m.; passed in at 8:30 a. m.; out at 9:30 a. m.; southbound. Prince George passed in at 9:30 a. m.; out at 9:30 a. m. northbound; in, Admiral Sampson at 8:30 a. m.; out, Camosun at 8:40 a. m.; in, Amur at 11:55 a. m.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; wind S. E., light; sea moderate.

MARINE NOTES.

The G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert will return from Seattle on Monday and proceed to the north. She has been on the Sound for the past week having repairs made to her boilers. She will take a large number of passengers from here.

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The steamer Sovereign, the fastest yacht in the world, owned by M. C. D. Borden, N. Y. Y. C., has just been launched from the yards of the Seabury company of New York. A speed of 35 miles an hour continuously has been guaranteed by her designer, Charles E. Seabury, whose high speed vessels are upon all American waters.

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The ship Reuce has been sold by the California shipping company to the Columbia River Packers' association to replace the ship Jabez Howes, recently wrecked in Asaska. She is now overhauling and will be sent north immediately to bring down the season's pack. The Reuce is a vessel of 1,601 tons net register, built in Maine 30 years ago.

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If the voyage from Seattle to San Francisco just began by the Nautilus is successfully completed it will go down on the annals of marine history as one of the most remarkable ever undertaken on the Pacific Coast, as the little launch is only forty-five feet long and has a gross tonnage of but fourteen tons. The Nautilus left Ballard on Thursday and, according to the figures of her Seattle owners, she could reach San Francisco by Sunday morning. When the Nautilus left Ballard her jaunty appearance and trim lines were hidden for the time beneath the generous coat of light lumber designed to protect her from the heavy seas she is certain to encounter outside Cape Flattery. All of her windows except those in her pilot house were boarded over and everything made shipshape for the long jaunt.

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OUR LETTER BOX

PUBLICITY FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA MINES.

To the Editor:—In a news paragraph published in this morning's Colonist it is stated that I have "been specially engaged by the provincial government to assist in the publicity branch in connection with the provincial department of mines," and that I "will be associated with the provincial mineralogist, Mr. W. Fleet Robertson," in my "new official activities." While I am grateful to the writer of the paragraph for his kindly and complimentary references to my work in connection with giving publicity to information relating to the mining industry of this province, I feel it my duty to state that I have not been appointed to any office in connection with the provincial department of mines, nor has any arrangement been made with me that will associate me officially with the provincial mineralogist, with whom, by the way, I have not had even one single conversation on this matter. If it shall seem well to the provincial government to in some other way show practical appreciation of the work I have long done, and am still doing, in contributing mining information from this province to several influential publications in North America and England, it may be that I shall not find it necessary to continue negotiations now in progress looking to my removal to another province to there do similar work.

E. JACOBS.

Victoria, B. C., April 29, 1911.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Major William E. Robbins took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's parlors, and fifteen minutes later from St. James church. Rev. J. H. S. Sweet conducted services at the chapel and at the church. Some beautiful flowers were sent by the numerous friends, among whom were several C. P. R. officials, who attended. The deceased was at one time in the employ of the C. P. R. The pallbearers were: B. H. John, H. J. Hartnell, D. B. McLaren, W. T. H. Richdale, B. Daniel and H. L. Saimon.

The death occurred at the Jubilee hospital yesterday of Mrs. Emily Brunell, wife of George Brunell, of 1701 Edmonton road. The deceased was 28 years of age. The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Hanna chapel on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and from St. Barnabas church at 3.30. Rev. E. G. Miller will officiate.

Jesse Taylor, aged 50 years, of 1914 Maple street, passed away last night at the family residence. The deceased was born in Hanley, Staffordshire, England, and came to Victoria last August. He is survived by a widow and seven children, Elsie, Edie, Reginald, Jack, Louis, Norman and Mrs. Taylor, in this city, and three in the Old Country. The funeral will take place on Monday at 2.30 o'clock, from the house, where Rev. R. A. McConnell will conduct services. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

LOCAL NEWS

—Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s clothing sale ends to-night at 11 o'clock.

—Bona fide ratepayers can obtain copies of the annual civic report for 1910 on application to City Clerk Dowler.

—The Victoria Nurses Club will hold a meeting at Miss Campbell's, nurses home, McClure street, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s clothing sale ends to-night at 11 o'clock.

—E. T. Williamson and A. C. Hounsell have acquired the business of the Investors' Securities Co., 1316 Douglas street, from Moore & Johnson.

—It is expected that the Teamsters' Union will call a strike on Monday. As yet, however, they have not decided on anything definite, and a meeting called for to-night to finally consider the matter.

—The Klu Klux Klan Klub, Cedar Hill, gave a dance in the Cedar Hill parish hall last night. A most enjoyable time was provided, some 75 couples being present. The party broke up at 2 a.m. Bantly's archestra supplied the music.

—The Odd Fellows of Victoria will participate in a united service in First Baptist church to-morrow afternoon at 3.30, commemorating the ninety-second anniversary of the order. The brethren will assemble in the I. O. O. F. hall at 2.45 p.m., and will then march in a body to the church, accompanied by the band of the Fifth Regiment. The canton and encampment members will be in uniform. The sisters of Colfax Rebekah Lodge will accompany the members to the church, and will take part in the service. Friends of Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend.

—Remember the B. Williams & Co.'s clothing sale ends to-night at 11 o'clock.

—Court Victoria, A. O. F., will hold its next monthly entertainment on Wednesday, May 3, when an interesting programme will be submitted. As in the case of the last entertainment given by the court, the function will take the form of an at home. Competitions, in which all may take part, have been arranged, and a first class concert programme will be submitted. Dancing and parlor games will also be included in the entertainment, and supper will be served during the evening. In order to permit of an early start being made, it has been arranged to have the business of the court terminate before 9 o'clock. Members of the other courts in the city are cordially invited to be present.

NINE MILLIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS

Grand Trunk Railway Plans for Montreal Included Elevation of Tracks

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, April 29.—It was officially announced at the Grand Trunk Railway offices this morning that the company proposes to spend between $9,000,000 and $10,000,000 on its great scheme for the improvement of terminals in this city. The plans have been sent to the railway commission for its approval and embrace the elevation of the tracks between Turcot yards and Bonaventure station, and from St. Henri to Point St. Charles yards. The scheme also includes the erection of new freight and passenger terminals at Bonaventure.

WILL ENTERTAIN CHOIR.

Lieut.-Governor Paterson and Mrs Paterson will entertain the members of the Sheffield Choir, over two hundred in number, on the afternoon of Thursday, May 18, at a garden party in the grounds of Government House. It is understood that a movement is on foot in the city to provide some form of civic reception upon the arrival of the great singing organization, which will come to Victoria on May 17, and after giving three concerts, will sail on the Canadian-Australian liner Zealandia for Australia on the second stage of its "empire musical reciprocity tour," on May 19.

THREE INSTANTLY KILLED.

New York, April 29.—Three men were instantly killed and nine more are believed to have been fatally injured late this afternoon when a gang of laborers who were pulling down a telegraph pole dropped a guy wire against the third rail of the New York Central railroad at Spuyten du Tyval. Fifteen men had hold of the wire.

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Municipal Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the buildings in the sub-joined list have been inspected by a Committee consisting of the Medical Health Officer, the Fire Marshal, the Sanitary Inspector and the Assistant Building Inspector, and have been declared by them each to be a nuisance and dangerous to the public safety and health, and the said officers have recommended that the same be pulled down as being dangerous as aforesaid.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria will on Thursday, the 4th day of May, 1911, at the hour of eight o'clock in the afternoon, proceed to take into consideration the said report of the said officers and to inquire into the matters therein contained and will make such declaration and order as to them may seem proper in that regard.

AND FURTHER PUBLIC NOTICE IS GIVEN that any owner, agent, lessee or occupant, or solicitor or counsel, may appear at such time and place and will be heard concerning any of the matters in the said report contained.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
April 29th, 1911.

LIST OF OLD BUILDINGS TO BE CONDEMNED.

1. 1 storey frame cottage on Lot No. 463, Block F, P. O. Box 463. 541 Herald St., Owner, Mrs. Marie LeFleve. Dilapidated and insanitary; plumbing contrary to City By-law; used for storing fruit; harbors rats.

2. Old frame shed on Lot No. 463, Block F, 543 Herald St., Owner, Mrs. Marie LeFleve. Insanitary; harbors vermin.

3. 3 1-storey frame cottages on Lot No. 464, Block F, in rear of 533 Herald St. Owners, R. Murray and D. McBrady (Mesdames), 1421 Vancouver St. Verandah needs renewing; foundations rotten; bad sanitary arrangements; crowded area.

4. Verandah on Lot 455, Block F. Owners, Mesdames R. Murray and D. McBrady, 1421 Vancouver St.

5 Verandah on Andrew Gray's cabins on Lot No. 465, Block F, 527 Herald St. Owner, Andrew Gray, Martin Iron Works.

6. 1-storey frame shed and stable on Lot No. 465, Block F, in rear of No. 523 Herald St. Owner, Andrew Gray, Martin Iron Works. Most insanitary; bad wooded floors; no drainage system; ventilation insufficient; contrary to City By-laws governing stables.

7. 1-storey frame workshop and shed on Lot No. 468, Block F, in rear of No. 519 Herald St. Owner, Alex McDonald, N. Saanich. Dilapidated and much decayed; likely to harbor vermin.

8. Old frame lean-to and sheds on Lot No. Pt 485 & 486, Block E, in rear of Chinese wash house, No. 1817 Store St. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti. Very insanitary; filthy condition; dilapidated; foundations rotting; much of the woodwork soaked with liquid filth.

9. 1-storey frame laundry on Lot No. 127, Block B, 1624 Store St. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti.

10. 2-storey frame junk shop on Pt Lot No. 128, front part only. Owner, W. P. and J. A. Worthington.

11. 2-storey frame store on Lot No. A, Block B, 1412 Store St. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti. Insanitary; dilapidated; sanitary arrangements bad.

1-storey frame wash house on Lot No. A, Block B, 1414 Store St. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti. Very insanitary; dilapidated and harbors vermin; sanitary arrangements very bad; woodwork soaked with filth.

12. Verandah on building known as the Louvre Saloon on Pt Lot No. 181, Block 1, in rear of 515 Johnson St. Owner, Jos. W. Rowland, Burnside Road, outside of City; old; dilapidated; harbor for rats; not used.

13. 2-storey frame building adjoining brick building on Pt of Lots 178 and 179, Block 1, 1319 Waddington Alley. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti. Used as a rooming-house (low class); dilapidated; sanitary arrangements bad; not fit for the purpose for which it is used; harbors vermin.

14. Frame building in rear of 708 Yates St. on Lot No. 21, Block 3. Owner, J. K. Wilson, et al, P. O. Box 469. Sing Lee laundry; dilapidated; insanitary.

15. 1-storey old frame building used as a fish market on Pt of Lot 22, Block 3, Yates St. Owned by J. Keith Wilson, et al, P. O. Box 469.

16. Frame building on Lot No. 21, Block 3, 710 Yates St. Owner, J. Keith Wilson, et al, P. O. Box 469, bicycle store; dilapidated.

17. Frame building used as a wash house on Lot No. 572, Block 3, 756 Yates St. Owners, Messrs Lee & Fraser. Dilapidated; sanitary arangements bad throughout; much of the woodwork soaked with filth.

18. Frame shed on Lot No. 323, Block 11, and old stable, 833 Yates St. Owner, Messrs. Hearns & Renfew, 831 Yates St.; barn used for cart and shed and general purposes; also stable dilapidated and unsanitary.

19. 1-storey frame dwelling on Lot No. 326, Block 11, 809 Yates St. Owner, Mrs. Mary Grahame, 818 Hillside Ave. (all buildings on this lot). Dwelling dilapidated; insanitary; old shed used for stable; cesspit, etc.

20. Old frame shed on Lot No. 318, Block 11, at City Yards, Yates St. Owner, City; old sheds should be removed; dilapidated.

21. 2-storey old frame mill, unoccupied, on Lot No. 315, Block 11, Yates St., adjoining City Yard. Owners, Finch & Finch. Dangerous in case of fire.

22. Frame stable on Lot No. 373, Block 4, in rear of 842 Yates St. Owner, A. J. C. McDermott, Dallas Road. Dilapidated; insanitary; no drainage; does not comply with City By-laws governing stables.

23. Frame building used as a Jap cleaning store and frame building used as storage warehouse for old furniture, etc., on Lot No. 371, Block 4, 828 Yates St. Owner, Daniel Bain, P. K. Brown, agent.

24. Frame dwelling and sheds in rear on Lot No. 147, Block Y, 758 Johnson St. Owner, L. J. Quagliotti. Dilapidated and insanitary; used by Chinese as fruit warehouse.

25. Frame wash house on Lot No. 156, Block V, 723 Pandora St. Dilapidated; insanitary; much of the woodwork soaked with liquid filth.

Old frame store on Lot 156, Block V, 725 Pandora St. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors vermin.

Frame wash house on Lot 156, Block V, 727 Pandora St. Dilapidated and insanitary; woodwork soaked with liquid filth. Owner of three, James Boyd, Heisterman & Co.

26. All frame sheds and shacks in the block bounded by Government, Store, Fisguard and Cormorant Sts., Block G. All insanitary; crowded area; difficult of supervision.

27. 2-storey frame sheds and old buildings on Lot No. 131 and 132, Block B, on Spratt's Wharf, foot of Discovery Street. Owner, H. B. Thompson. Very dilapidated; old buildings unoccupied; used as a convenience by wayfarers and Indians; most insanitary; no sanitary arrangements.

28. 1-storey frame Chinese wash house on Lot No. 872, Block J, corner Discovery St. and Government St. Owner, Sam Hop Tong and On Hing Bros. Dilapidated and insanitary.

29. Old stable on Lot 873, Block J, corner Discovery and Government Sts. Owner, J. Heaney, 1219 Wharf St. Dilapidated; no sanitary arrangements.

30. Frame sheds alongside of J. Fisher's blacksmith shop on Lot No. 879, Block J, Discovery St. Owner, Dr. R. F. Verrinder, 880 McGregor Ave. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors vermin.

31. All old frame buildings used as wash houses on corner Douglas and Pembroke Sts., on Lot No. 3, 4, and 6, Block A. Owner, L. C. Rattray, care of Empire Realty Co. Dilapidated and insanitary.

32. 1-storey frame dwelling on sub-Lot No. 2 of 618 and 619, Block M, at 1721 Government St., and sheds at back. Owner, W. P. Worthington, et al, 247 Government St. Dilapidated and insanitary; used by Chinese coolies.

32 (A). Old frame shacks and sheds in rear of buildings at the N. W. corner of Fisguard and Government Sts., on Lot No. 455, Block F. Owner, Long Duck Long, 552 Government St. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors vermin; crowded area.

33. 1-storey frame building on Lot No. 9, Block 72 (Fort Property), corner Broughton and Langley Sts. Owner, Hudson Bay Co. Dilapidated and insanitary.

34. 1-storey frame building on Lot No. 2, Block 73 (Fort Property), Courtney and Langley Sts. Owner, A. E. Todd, P. O. Box 787. Wood part dilapidated and insanitary.

35. Old frame sheds on Lot No. 172, Block 1, in rear of F. Norris & Son and Levy's restaurant, 1320 Government St. Owner, F. Norris, P. O. Box 255. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors rats.

36. 2-storey frame wash house at 633 Pandora St. and 2-storey frame building on Lot No. 667, Block U. Owner, Mrs. Janet Clay, 819 Linden Avenue. Dilapidated and insanitary; sanitary arrangement bad.

37. All frame buildings on Lot No. 1247, Block T, on S. E. Corner Douglas and Cormorant Sts. Owner, C. W. Bradshaw, 3905 Albany St. Dilapidated and insanitary; rotten with age.

38. Old frame buildings on Lot No. 11 of 1257, Block T, Cormorant St. Owner, R. H. Pooley, Law Chambers. Dilapidated and insanitary.

39. Old frame sheds on Lot No. 6 of 1257, Block T, on lot west of Congregational Church, Pandora St. Owner, Mr. J. Lowen, care of A. W. Jones. Dilapidated and insanitary; sanitary arrangements bad.

40. All old storey frame buildings on Lot No. 679, Block S, 748 Cormorant St. Owner, Richard Sturdy, care of A. W. Jones. Dilapidated and insanitary; sanitary arrangements bad.

41. Old frame stable on Lot No. 298, Block 15, in rear of residence 831 View St. Owner, Johanna White. Dilapidated and insanitary; does not comply with By-laws.

42. Old frame buildings known as the Old Harmony Hall, on Lot No. 299, Block 15, on View St. Owner, John D. Reid; P. R. Brown, agent. Dilapidated condition.

43. Old frame lean-to in rear of 847 View St. on Lot No. 296, Block 15. Owner, George Mulligan; Lee & Fraser, agents. Dilapidated; insanitary.

44. All frame buildings on Lot No. 288, Block 15, 826 Fort St., Kwong Hing laundry; 828 Boot repair shop. Owner, N. S. Burdick, 918 Government St. Old and dilapidated.

45. 2 frame buildings on Lot No. 281, Block 15, on N. E. corner of Fort and Blanchard Sts. Owner, Henry Martin, care of Green & Burdick Bros.

46. All frame buildings on Lot No. 66, Block 14, on N. W. corner Fort and Blanchard Sts. Owner, Geo. Stevens, care of P. R. Brown. Occupied by Jones & Clapp, wheelwrights. Dilapidated.

47. Frame sheds in rear of Lot No. 69, Block 22, at the S. W. corner Fort and Blanchard Sts. Owner, J. E. Smart. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors vermin; part used as wash house.

48. 2-storey frame building on Lot No. 87, Block 26, at 755 Broughton St. Owner, John L. Colbert, Fort Street. Dilapidated; used by Colbert, plumbers.

49. 2 frame wash houses on Lot No. 296, Block 25, 723-727 Humboldt St. Owner, Messrs. B. C. Land & Investment Co. Dilapidated and insanitary condition.

50. Frame shed in rear of 719 Courtney St., on E. Pt of Lot No. 102, Block 25. Owner, B. Boggs. Dilapidated; used as a stable.

51. Frame shack on Pt of Lot No. 139, Block V, south of Moore & Scott building, Douglas St., near Johnson St. Owner, B. C. Permanent Loan Co. Dilapidated.

52. 2 frame buildings on Lot No. 671, Block U, on the north side of Johnson St., between Broad and Douglas Sts. Owner, R. B. Punnett, Mahon Block.

53. Old frame sheds and stable on Lot No. 141, Block V, in rear of the Blue Post Saloon, Johnson St. Owner, J. A. Sayward.

54. Frame barn on Lot No. 158 (E. Pt), Block V, in rear of Cookson's apartment house, Pandora St. Owner, Chas. M. Cookson, Johnson St. Dilapidated and insanitary.

55. Frame workshop on Pt of Lot No. 165, Block , in rear of Shore & Anderson's, Douglas St. Owner, Mrs. Eliza Dougan, 986 Hayward Ave. Dilapidated and insanitary; harbors vermin.

56. Platforms around cabins on Lot No. 157, Block V, in rear of Maynard's, Pandora St. Owner, A. H. Maynard, 715 Pandora St.

57. Frame barns on Lot No. 148, Block V, on S. W. corner Johnson and Blanchard Sts. Owner, L. J. and Mrs. Quagliotti, 751 Cormorant St. Dilapidated and insanitary; no drainage; woodwork bad.

58. Frame shed on Lot No. 378, Block 4, in rear of Erskin's grocery store, S. W. corner Quadra and Johnson Sts. Owner, H. W. Davies, Yates and Langley Sts. Dilapidated and insanitary.

59. 2-storey frame shed on Lot No. 805, Block 10, in rear of 961 Yates St. Owner, A. J. C. McDermott, Dallas Road.

60. Frame shed on Yates St., north side, Lot No. 814, Block 5. Owner, Mrs. J. Campbell, care of Mrs. P. W. Charleston, Box 187, Vancouver, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

61. 2-storey frame barn on Lot No. 803, Block 10, in rear of 965 Yates St. Owner, John Haggerty, care of A. W. Jones, agent. Dilapidated and insanitary.

62. Frame shed in rear of 1020 View St., on Lot No. 992, Block 9. Owner, Mrs. G. Lawrence, 1028 View St.; 2 old sheds in rear.

63. Frame stable on Lot No. 11, 5 acre 18, on N. W. corner Chambers and Putnam Sts. Owner, Mrs. A. C. Brown, 866 North Park St. Also old sheds. Dilapidated and insanitary; does not comply with requirements.

64. Frame sheds alongside of King's barns on Lot No. 16, Block 50½ and 66½ (Spring Ridge), at 1221 Caledonia St. Owner, Jabez King, 4221 Caledonia Ave. Dilapidated and insanitary.

65. Collection of frame shacks in Chinese gardens near the Lion Saloon, on Lot No. , Block 38 (Work Estate). Owner, Mrs. W. H. Finlayson; A. S. Innes, agent. Dilapidated and insanitary. No sanitary arrangements.

66. Frame building on sub-Lot No. 20 of 121, Block 24, 609 Fort St. (Claytons). Owner, Messrs. Meldrum & Maloney, 1028 Government St.

67. ½ storey store, 1607 Douglas St., and ½storey frame building, on N. E. corner Douglas and Cormorant Sts. Lot No. 672, Block S. Owner, F. Moore, et al, care of Grant & Lineham. Dilapidated and insanitary; sanitary arrangements bad.

68. 1-storey frame building adjoining brick building, Lot No. 591, Block N, on 1st lot west of Douglas St., on the north side of Cormorant St. Owner, Kum Jow, Lee Dye & Lee Kow, 642 Cormorant St. Dilapidated and insanitary; unoccupied.

69. 2-storey frame wash house on Lot No. 4, Block 12, 714 View St. Owner, Messrs. Barton & Martin, P. O. Box 173. Hong Long laundry; dilapidated.

70. 2 frame shacks on Lot No. 44, Block 14, in rear of Mellor Bros., View Street. Owner, George Mellor, 715 View St. Dilapidated condition; harbors vermin.

71. Leanto adjoining Colonist Hotel and frame sheds alongside, on Lot No. Pt Block 1, Beckley Farm, at N. W. corner Simcoe and Douglas Sts. Owner, C. H. Gilliliens. Dilapidated and insanitary condition; dog kennels and barns.

72. Old frame barn alongside of Smith's old biscuit factory, on Lot No. 8, Block 28, Beckley Farm, on Niagara St. Owner, Messrs. M. K. Smith & Co. Dilapidated and insanitary condition.

73. Frame barn on line of street on sub-Lot 12 of 178½2 and 174½5, of Block 60. Owner, Mr. Joseph Hunter, 514 Government St. Dilapidated condition.

74. Building behind Ideal Meat Market, Yates St., Pt 162a, Block 2. Owner, Miss G. M. M. Parshalle. Very filthy condition; structurally unfit for butcher's use.

75. Frame building, 779 Yates St., on Lot , Block . Owner, . Dilapidated and insanitary; no sanitary arrangements; used as a fish and fruit store.

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PREMIER BEARER OF PROVINCE'S MESSAGE

Resolutions Passed at Meeting in Victoria Theatre Last Night With Enthusiasm

Citizens of the capital assembled in the Victoria theatre last night, with many representative British Columbians occupying the platform, and passed a resolution conveying assurances of loyalty on the part of the people of the province to His Majesty King George V. The resolution was handed to Hon. Richard McBride, who leaves to-night to attend the coronation for presentation to His Majesty. The meeting further adopted a resolution expressing confidence in Premier McBride as the representative of the province at the coronation.

Hon. Robert Beavan, one of the earliest figures in British Columbia life, occupied the chair, and with him on the platform, in addition to the premier were: H. C. Brewster, M. P. P.; Bishop Macdonald, Dean Doull, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Dr. J. S. Helmcken, H. B. Thomson, M. P. P.; Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, Joshua Kingham, J. J. Shallcross, A. W. McCurdy, H. D. Helmcken, K. C.; George Jay, Leonard Tait, W. K. Houston, C. H. Lugrin, W. H. Price, W. Blakemore and others.

Rev. W. Leslie Clay moved the adoption of the following address to the King, seconded by H. C. Brewster, M. P. P.:

"We, the subjects of Your Majesty residing in British Columbia, desire to assure you of our unswerving loyalty to your person and to the Crown.

"We recall with pleasure the occasion of your visit to our province, and we most humbly say that the kindly feelings which were then engendered have been intensified by succeeding years.

"In tendering this assurance of our loyalty and of the pride we feel in the auspicious event of your coronation, we wish to express to your Majesty the earnest hope that you may long be spared to occupy the throne of the empire, whose unity we are convinced you and your distinguished consort will do much to strengthen."

The congratulatory resolution passed in honor of the premier was moved by Joshua Kingham and seconded by Leonard Tait. It read as follows:

"The citizens of Victoria desire to place on record the appreciation of the high honor paid to the province by the invitation extended to you, as premier, to be present at the coronation of his Most Gracious Majesty, King George V.

"We wish to express our confidence that you will fitly and well represent British Columbia on that important occasion, and that your presence in the United Kingdom at a time when you will meet representatives of all parts of the Empire will redound to the benefit of your native province. We wish you and Mrs. McBride a pleasant journey and a safe return."

Letters regretting absence were received from Mayor Morley and from Col. E. G. Prior. A meeting of the city council kept the mayor absent and Col. Prior had an out-of-town engagement.

The premier, replying to the honor conferred on him by the meeting, recognized the compliment paid him and thanked the gathering on behalf of himself and Mrs. McBride, whose name was included in the resolution. He spoke on Imperial matters in relation to the province, and of the excellent work of the Canadian clubs. The premier prophesied that in 25 years, or less, British Columbia would hold the first place in the Dominion of Canada. The necessity of Canadian land and water protection was spoken of by the premier. This could only be done efficiently by Imperial means, he said, and he held it a grave matter for the white people of the Dominion. The premier, referring to his coming visit to London, said his great worry was that he might not be equal to the responsibility of properly representing British Columbia. He said he was not at the meeting as a politician but as the servant of the people of British Columbia, and as such he would leave for London.

Cheers were given for the premier and the singing of the National Anthem closed the proceedings.

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U. S. AMBASSADOR WILL INVESTIGATE

Authorities Call Attention to Reported Declaration of Ramon Corall

Washington, D. C., April 29.—The reported declaration of Ramon Corral, vice-president of Mexico, that Americans were fomenting trouble in his country in order to force intervention, has encountered the disfavor of this government.

The state department has called the matter to the attention of Mexico in order to establish officially whether the interview with the vice-president was authentic as published in Mexico City.

The question will be taken up by Ambassador Wilson, to whom the department telegraphed a copy of an official statement which it had issued, unequivocally disapproving the alleged utterance.

The statement expresses the confident belief of the department that the Mexican foreign office will promptly "repudiate and prevent the promulgation of any such statements, calculated so seriously to disturb the mutual confidence and friendly good understanding between the two peoples."

Rebel Activity.

Mexico City, April 29.—While it had been thought the signing of the armistice might have the effect of lessening the activities of the rebels in other parts of the republic, a summary of the week's campaign shows an increased aggression and a wider area of disturbance. It is reported that the number of rebels operating in one section of Puebla is not less than 5000, and from a different part of the state comes the news of a band of 600 that demanded the surrender of Tehuancan, the resort where Vice-president Corral spent so many weeks.

The tactics in the southern interior regions are fairly typical of the campaign throughout the disaffected parts of the republic. The rebels appear in a town, the federals are sent to dislodge them and a federal victory is reported. The report of the victory is true, but the invariable strategy of the rebels is to flee before they are forced to surrender, so that the sum total of the rebels is not materially reduced and the defeated men reappear in a few days in some other place.

Slowly the rebel forces in Guerrero are gathering in numbers, and in Coyuca de Catalan, Guerrero, the jefe politico himself opened the doors of the prison, and arming the 180 prisoners led them forth to fight in the cause of the revolutionists.

General Valle, in charge of the federal troops in Puebla, yesterday advised the department of war that Tecamalcho had fallen into the hands of the rebels.

Among the prisoners accused of sedition who were released yesterday was Jacob Kaiser, a naturalized United States citizen. He was fined 100 pesos. Kaiser confessed that while travelling through the republic ostensibly selling a "hair restorer" he was engaged in spreading revolutionary propaganda.

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REFUSED TO OBEY CAPTAIN'S COMMAND

Officer Sentenced for Going Ashore in Defiance of Superior's Orders

Tacoma, Wash., April 29.—For disobeying the lawful commands of his captain while in Tacoma harbor last Christmas day, W. A. Black, third officer of the British steamship Beachy, was sentenced recently to four weeks at hard labor by the marine magistrate's court at Hongkong. Private advices regarding the trial have been received here. Several charges were filed against Black, but he was tried on only one as the Beachy had to leave Hongkong without further delay.

While in Tacoma, Black went ashore in defiance of Capt. Frank Walker's instructions. This is the offence for which he was tried. He also was accused of altering the vessel's course 15 miles in three hours without consulting the master. Admiral C. W. Beckworth, of the British navy, presided over the marine court.

OUR LETTER BOX

APPRECIATIVE LETTER CARRIERS.

To the Editor: As the best means of reaching the public I ask permission on behalf of the letter carriers of Victoria to express through the columns of your valuable paper our unqualified appreciation—first, to the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the programme of our late concert in the Victoria theatre and who were the means of making it such an unquestionable success; next, to the magnificent audience for their support. When one looked around the theatre and saw such an audience every, possible seat occupied, they could not but feel that the daily labor we perform for the public is thoroughly appreciated. I ask them, one and all, to accept our heartfelt thanks and appreciation. When I say this I know I am voicing the feelings of every postman in the city. Although the news carried to them daily is not what they all may desire, still if the audience at the theatre was any criterion, we are satisfied that the public of Victoria at least have a warm corner in their hearts for the postman. Thanking you all once again, also the daily press for their kind and courteous treatment.

ARTHUR J. BIRD,
President Letter Carriers' Ass'n.
Victoria Branch No. 11.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

To the Editor: An article appeared in the Times a few days ago relative to conditions in the public library. While in the main the points were accurately enough taken, there are several statements which need correction.

In the first place it is hardly fair to speak of "withering neglect." The assistants of the library have at all times worked conscientiously and well, and if undesirable conditions exist they are due in great part to lack of adequate funds and to the fact that that method of administration which may be suited to the needs of a small institution naturally shows its limitations when taxed beyond its capacity. That much which is undesirable has crept in is not to be denied, but the very fact that radical changes have been for a time under discussion explains the disinclination on the part of those in charge to patch.

Regarding the chess room, while it is true that the most enthusiastic player could hardly advance valid arguments in its favor as it at present exists, and while, when the library is so seriously crippled for lack of books and legitimate library resources, the expense of the upkeep of such a room seems unnecessary, irrelevant, and out of all proportion to its usefulness to the community at large, at the same time there is no foundation for the statement that it is to be abolished. The matter has never been discussed by the commissioners, much less passed upon, and many other important considerations are likely to be dealt with before this becomes a live issue.

The changes which are in progress are, as above hinted, evolutionary rather than revolutionary. The aim of the library has always been to serve the needs of the public, and that it might serve them more adequately—more perfectly—is still the ever-expanding objective, for the accomplishment of which each member of the staff works valiantly.

HELEN G. STEWART.
Public Library, Victoria, April 27.

—Regular $1.25 to $1.75 men's working gloves on sale to-day for 95c., at B. Williams & Co.'s going out of business sale, which ends to-night at 11 o'clock.

The area of the great Sahara desert is almost as great as that of the United States of America.

SONG SECURED ACQUITTAL.

Unwritten Law Tacitly Recognized in Texas Homicide Case.

The "unwritten law" was acknowledged by the jury at Fort Worth, Texas, when Mrs. Brooks, the wife of an eminent lawyer, was acquitted of the charge of murdering Mrs. Binford, whom she shot dead in a crowded shop from motives of jealousy.

The prisoner testified that the revolver with which the deed was done was hers. She had kept it, she said, for the purpose of committing suicide, but decided to live for the sake of her two children." On the day of the murder she overheard a telephone conversation between her husband and Mrs. Binford. "The world," said the prisoner, "suddenly toppled over and everything became blank. I regained consciousness two days later and remember nothing I did meanwhile."

Counsel for the defense then rose. The scene that followed is thus described by the New York Sun:

"Counsel closed a powerful argument by singing to the jury in a tear-choked voice, 'Home, Sweet Home.' The song trembled on his lips and brought tears to the eyes of all the jurors, the defendant, and the crowd which was packed in the room. It was a dramatic finish to the most dramatic murder trial in Texas history."

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TWENTIETH CENTURY CANNIBALISM.

Repressive Measures by German Government in Admiralty Islands.

Cannibalism has reached such an acute stage in the Admiralty Islands in the Pacific that, according to information received at Sydney, the German government has decided upon strong repressive measures.

For some time past the unsatisfactory relations between the various tribes of natives of the Admiralty Islands have been engaging the attention of the German authorities at Rabaul. This group is considered to have a very promising future. Unfortunately, however, continual inter-tribal feuds threaten to decimate the native population, and occasional punitive expeditions prove inadequate for maintaining peace between the islanders. It is now intended to establish on the principal island of the group a government station.

According to the latest reports feuds and warfare among the natives have lately been of frequent occurrence. In addition to the villagers from Loniu and Papitelai, the mountain tribes—the Ulkul—who inhabit the northern coast of the principal island, have repeatedly threatened both the coastal tribes and the plantations.

The coastal villages of Tsau have been repeatedly attacked by the Ulkul. At each attack from three to eight men have been murdered and eaten. A similar state of things is reported from the southern coast of the island, where the Liedo or Lluro tribes have attacked the village of Rassilio, and murdered several people. The Governor of German New Guinea sent a punitive expedition to the region, and three villages were burnt to the ground.

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TOO MUCH ADVICE GIVEN BY BOARD

Letter to New Westminster Council Calls Forth Warm Comments

New Westminster April 28.—"There is a possibility of the board of trade going too far in usurping the rights of the council. As far as I am concerned I am only too glad to get advice from any body of persons in the city, but there are some things that are entirely in the hands of the council. The council in past years have done their best and no doubt will continue to do so. It is an easy matter to build a fireproof cement isolation hospital, but it is not so easy to get the money for it.

"It is just as well, in my judgment, for the board of trade to look after the commercial interests of the city, which has been done and done well in the past, and the board would be well advised to contiue in this way and they will get all the help that we can give them in this respect."

These were the words of Mayor Lee in commenting on a letter received from W. J. Ker, delegated by the board of trade to write the city council suggesting that that body erect a fireproof, up-to-date, and sanitary isolation hospital.

Ald. Dodd, who recently objected to the board of trade receiving the free use of the meeting room in the city hall, took occasion to remark that, while he had opposed the granting of the room for this purpose, the mayor had favored it. In Ald. Dodd's opinion, the commercial interests were not the interests of all the city.

The mayor replied that commerical interests referred not only to merchants, but to everything that concerned the general promotion of the city's interests, such as advertising, trade development, etc. It had as much to do with the man digging a ditch as the man running a bank.

SEEKING FRANCHISE.

Nanaimo, April 28.—A communication from the secretary of the Victoria branch of the Daughters of the Empire, stating that they intended celebrating the coronation of King George V., and asking the Nanaimo council to co-operate, was received at the regular meeting of the city council, and Mayor Planta and Ald. Shaw elected to represent Nanaimo at the festivities.

The city enginer reported on the proposal to pave Commercial, Church and Front streets, and Victoria crescent, recomending the work be commenced at once, the streets to be paved with asphalt concrete at an estimated cost of $25,000. On motion the report was received and referred to the street committee for report at the next meeting of the council. The council decided to call for tenders for the grading of Cowan street.

Ald. McKinnell was granted permission to introduce a by-law regulating the stringing of electric wires in the city, and on motion it was decided to give the by-law the first reading at the next meeting of the council. A by-law regulating pool rooms and bowling alleys, fixing the hours of closing at 12 o'clock on week days and at 11 on Saturday night until 8 o'clock Monday morning, was given the third reading.

The British Columbia Hydraulic Company wrote applying for a franchise for distribution of electrical energy, wholesale and retail, within the necessary privileges for right of way for pole lines, etc., and given the franchise would discuss the supplying of power for or the building of a municipal urban and interurban tramway.

EXTENDING WATER SYSTEM.

New Westminster, [illegible] 28.—The water committee is [illegible] time in making extensions out of the debenture by-law recently passed, and at the last meeing of the city council a report recommending the expenditure of nearly $8,000 was adopted.

A letter was received from the school board asking for a recount of the ballots for and against the high school by-law for $75,000, which failed to carry, but lacked only one vote. The council are favorable to allowing a recount but referred the letter to the city solicitor to report.

A half-holiday will be observed on May 5 on account of May Day. The mayor and council will take part in the proceedings, and Mayor Lee promises to dance with the May Queen in the evening.

On the recommendation of the sanitary inspector it was decided to cut down and clear [illegible] the broom and underbrush in [illegible] of the Isolation Hospital [illegible] street. This is to prevent fires, as there has been bush fires there in previous years.

The Isolation Hospital was burned down recently, but it is the intention of the council to erect a new building on the old site.

C. P. R. EXTENDING YARDS.

Revelstoke, April 28.—According to information gathered at the C. P. R. offices it is the intention of that corporation to extend their yards here this summer, the present accommodation being entirely inadequate to meet the growing demands. The extent to which these will be enlarged has not yet been divulged, as arrangements are not yet satisfactorily completed, but a provisional set of plans have been prepared. It is anticipated that a meeting of the mechanical superintendents of this division will be held here on May 2. Of one thing there is a certainty, and that is that work will commence shortly to raise the level of the yards by about two feet, as these are considered altogether too low. This work, taking into consideration the large area the yards cover, will mean a large amount of work and the employment of a considerable number of men.

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HIGH COURT AT PRINCE RUPERT

City Council Will Send Resolution to the Attorney-General

Prince Rupert, April 28.—A motion to urge the establishment of high courts in Prince Rupert came before the council, the mover being Ald. Newton and the seconder Ald. Morrissey.

The great need of such was clearly pointed out, and after some discussion it carried unanimously. The motion was to lay before the attorney-general of British Columbia the need of holding high courts here.

The mayor referred to the large cost involved in sending prisoners and witnesses to Vancouver. This cost could be saved by the holding of high courts here. He had not in mind any special cases, but believed that on general principles it was time high court sittings were held here.

Mayor Manson said he appreciated the necessity of what was being urged. It would be well to press on the attorney-general the importance of holding high courts here and lay all of the facts in this connection before him.

KAMLOOPS TAXATION.

Kamloops, April 28.—At the regular meeting of the city council a letter from the Daughters of the Empire was read asking that Kamloops send delegates to participate in the celebration at Victoria on June 22. The proposition was not favored.

Major Harper was present to ask the co-operation of the council in making every effort to make it pleasant for the large encampment of troops which will be held here this summer. This is the first large encampment in British Columbia, and the time is at hand when a central camp will be established in British Columbia. Everything is favorable to securing the encampment for Kamloops permanently. The government will spend $10,000 here this year, and this camp will be a nucleus and beginning of a very large camp. The mayor thanked Major Harper in behalf of the council for his efforts in connection with the camp, and suggested that the officers and citizens might hold a meeting to discuss means of entertainment. The council would do all in their power to make it pleasant for the troops, and he was sure the citizens would help.

The readjusted estimates showed $110,103.70 expenditure and $100,815 revenue.

By-law 155 was reconsidered and it was moved by Ald. Rushton, seconded by Ald. Graham, that improvements be exempt to the extent of 75 per cent. of their value, and the rate of taxation be placed at 21 mills. Carried.

Ald. Rushton, in making the motion, said that he believed in encouraging building in the city. It would encourage not only local people to build, but outside people coming to the city would be encouraged to erect homes.

FIREBUG AT WORK.

Kelowna, April 28.—What appears to have been a dastardly attempt to burn the Raymur block was discovered the other morning. All was in order about the premises at midnight, when G. A. Meikle, of T. Lawson, Ltd., made an inspection before going home, but in the morning it was found that some one had evidently obtained access to the boiler room, which was not locked, and had smeared the walls and floor with kerosene and had set light to the oil with paper. Some of the woodwork was burned halfway through, but the firebug defeated his scheme himself by closing the door behind him as he left, and the lack of air draught caused the blaze to die out.

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Chicago	6	6	.500
Washington	5	6	.454
Philadelphia	5	7	.416
Cleveland	5	9	.357
St. Louis	3	10	.231

Pacific Coast.

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	18	12	.600
Portland	18	12	.600
Vernon	17	13	.566
Oakland	15	16	.483
Sacramento	12	16	.428
Los Angeles	11	17	.392

SPORT NOTES

In answer to a question put to him a short time ago an old-time oarsman of this city wishes to state that the sculling champions of the Pacific coast in 1886 were: Charles Bush, D. Copeland, Billy Cotsford and his brother John Cotsford and Thomas Watson.

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With a big crowd of representative turfman from all over the country and a larger number of starters than usual the thirty-seventh annual running of the American Derby at Louisville, Ky., May 13, is attracting more attention than it has in several recent years. Heretofore seven has been considered a fair number of starters, but it is expected, with the race a fortnight away, that twelve thoroughbreds will face the barrier this year. The filly "Round the World" has been installed favorite.

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One of the greatest aggregations of college athletes ever drawn together in a single meeting are contesting on Franklin Field, Philadelphia, this afternoon in the seventh annual carnival of relay races and other sports under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania. On the cinder path and in the field, approximately, 1,500 athletes represent nearly 250 educational institutions.

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Wm. Donald, champion of the track team of the University of California, urged to-day in a public speech that university freshmen should be barred from participating in inter-collegiate sports on the Pacific coast.

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LOCAL HORSES WIN.

E. A. Henderson and Dixi Ross Take Firsts-Up-Island Entries.

In the Vancouver horse show which opened on Tuesday, a numebr of local and up-island horses were awarded ribbons.

In thoroughbred stallions, E. Henderson, of this city, won first prize with "Green Goods," and in thoroughbred foals of 1910, shown in hand, he took first with "Satata."

The Dixi Ross company has taken both blue and red ribbons in the delivery teams, singles, and the blue ribbon in the doubles.

Besides these a number of up-island entries were successful. Prominent among the latter were the horses entered by G. L. Watson, of Westholme, who with "Craigie Winson" took first in Clydesdale mares, 2 years and under, third with "Aries Flower" in Clydesdale mares, 4 years and over, and fourth with "Festive Maid" in Clydesdale draft mares, 4 years and over.

DECIDE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The championship of the British Columbia Football League will probably be decided to-morrow when Nanaimo and Ladysmith meet on the former team's grounds. They are both even in points and with only three more games to play it is only natural to assume that the victor will get away with the championship.

Ladysmith will have to show a great improvement over last week's display or they will get a big defeat, but the Island champions can always be depended upon to put up a good game whenever they meet their rivals across the golf. Ladysmith has a victory to its credit over Nanaimo in the league this season while the other two games between these teams were drawn. The Callies accounted for Nanaimo in one of the games lost by the Coal City team and the Vancouver have been responsible for the four points lost by the champions, beating them in Vancouver by one goal to nil, Ladysmith failing to appear in the other game.

CITY WILL PROCEED WITH CONVENIENCE

OBJECTIONS TO SCHEME ARE RULED OUT OF COURT

City Has the Right to Go Ahead With the Work and Will Do So

The proposition to put up a public convenience in the vicinity of the Dominion Trust company's new building on Government street was brought up in the city council last night, and the attitude of the B. C. Securities company in objecting to the plans of the city, as revised for the benefit of the company, did not receive a great deal of sympathy. After a brief discussion of the situation a motion instructing the city solicitor to inform the company that the city intended going ahead with the work was unanimously adopted on the suggestion of Alderman Langley, seconded by Alderman Bishop.

Alderman Humber said there was no point to the objection of the company. Convienences were not unsightly and the one proposed to be erected by the city certainly would not be. He saw no reason why they should refrain from carrying out their plans, when they had a perfect right to the land, merely on the sentimental objection of the contractors.

Alderman Langley took the same view. They did not want to discourage the erection of fine buildings such as the Dominion Trust company would build, but at the same time he thought the action of the company was rather uncalled for. The proposed convenience could not possibly be to the detriment of their building or any other building in the city. Furthermore it had been passed by the ratepayers, and the people who are now making the trouble had the opportunity of protesting at that time and did not do so. If they cared to take the matter to the courts they could do so.

The bids for the paving contracts which were recently advertised were to have been opened at last night's meeting, but it was found impossible to devote the necessary time to them. A special meeting will be called for Monday night to dispose of them. A large number of local improvement by-laws were passed finally.

The question of showing leniency to the owner of a blacksmith shop on Fort street which had been condemned, raised the objection that if leniency was shown to one man it ought to be shown to all. The mayor pointed out, however, that the circumstances were exceptional. The owner of the condemned shop had hunted all over the town and could not find another suitable building, so he thought it only fair that they should give him to the end of the year by which time, if he was still unable to find another building, he might be in a position to build one. The matter was referred to the city officials who have charge of the work, and a recommendation of leniency was made, but whether it was included in the motion to refer back was not made apparent.

The request of the C. P. R. for a permit for the proposed addition to their ticket office on Belville street also came in for discussion. Alderman Bishop suggested that the permit be granted, as the proposed addition was only a temporary affair and would be followed in time by a substantial brick extension.

The mayor asked the alderman if he would fix a time at which the brick extension would follow but this the alderman was not in a position to do. It was also pointed out that the by-law called for brick. The matter was finally referred back to the building committee.

In the event of the company notifying the council in writing that they will instal the bricks by the end of the year it is possible that the permit for the temporary structure may be granted.

It is the intention of the city council to shortly submit a by-law to the people for the raising of the sum of $300,000 for sewer purposes, so that the work of installing sewers may be proceeded with without delay. The money raised by the sewer fund by-law has become exhausted.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, April 29.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	63¾	62¾	63
Amn. Agr. Chemical	57½	57	57
Amn. Beet Sugar	43¾	43¾	43¾
Amn. Can., pref.	86¼	85¾	86
Amn. Cotton Oil	53¾	53¼	53¼
Amn. Ice Securities	24	23½	23½
Amn. Smelting	75¾	74¾	76½
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	145¾	145¼	145¼
Anaconda	39½	38	38¼
Atchison	108¾	108¼	108¾
B. & O.	104¾	104½	104½
B. R. T.	78¾	78	78¼
C. P. R.	233¼	231¼	232
C. & O.	86¾	86¼	86½
C. & G. W., pref.	42½	42	42
C., M. & St. P.	121½	120½	121¼
Colo. Fuel & Iron	30	29¾	30½
Con. Gas	143½	142¾	144¾
D. & R. G., pref.	68½	68	68
Distillers Sec.	35	34½	34½
Erie	30¾	30¼	30¼
Do., 1st pref.	48½	48¼	47¾
G. N., pref.	126¾	126¼	126½
Illinois Cent.	137¾	137¾	137¾
Inter-Metro., pref.	51¾	51¼	51
Kas. City Southern	33½	33¼	33½
L. & N.	146½	146	146½
Lehigh Valley	173½	172	173
Chino	23¾	23¼	23¾
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	140½	139½	139½
..., K. & T.	33	32¾	32¾
Mo. Pacific	49¼	48¾	48¾
Nev. Cons.	19	18½	18¾
N. & W.	106¾	106¼	106¾
N. P.	124	123½	123¾
Pennsy.	125¼	125¼	125¼
Railway Steel Spg.	32	31¾	32¼
Reading	154¾	154	154¾
Rock Island	29¾	29¼	29¼
S. P.	115¼	114¾	115¼
Sou. Railway	27¼	27	27
Texas Pacific	28¼	28¼	28¼
U. P.	177¾	176¾	177¼
Do., pref.	94¾	94¾	94
U. S. Steel	75¼	75	75¾
Do., pref.	120¾	120¾	120½
Wa. Car. Chem.	61¾	61	61¼
Westinghouse	70	69	69½
Wisconsin Central	71¼	70¾	70¼

Total sales, 237,300 shares.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, April 29.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	90¾	91	90¼	90½
July	87½	88¼	87¼	88
Sept.	86¾	87¼	86¼	87¼
Dec.	88¼	88¾	87¾	88¾
Corn—				
May	52¾	52¾	51¼	52¼
July	52¾	52¾	52¼	52¼
Sept.	53¼	53¾	52¾	53¼
Oats—				
May	31¼	31½	31¼	31¼
July	31¼	31¾	31¼	31¼
Sept.	31¾	31¾	31¼	31¾
Dec.	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Pork—				
May	15.52	15.60	15.45	15.45
July	15.00	15.02	14.92	14.92
Lard—				
May	7.95	8.02	7.92	7.92
July	8.05	8.15	8.05	8.05
Short Ribs—				
May	8.00	8.17	8.00	8.00
July	8.05	8.12	8.02	8.02

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, April 29.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Jan.	13.00	13.07	12.99	13.00-07
March	13.10	13.20	13.10	13.18-20
May	15.20	15.36	15.17	15.26-27
June	....	....	....	15.26-28
July	15.30	15.40	15.29	15.36-37
Aug.	15.01	15.03	14.93	15.02-03
Sept.	13.70	13.79	13.69	13.77-79
Oct.	13.13	13.22	13.12	13.21-22
Nov.	....	....	....	13.13-16
Dec.	13.03	13.10	13.00	13.09-10

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BUYS IRON WORKS.

San Francisco, Cal., April 29.—The Call reports to-day that the sale of the Risdon Iron Works in this city to the U. S. Steel Corporation has been virtually completed. At the same time the report states the corporation acquired more than fourteen blocks of land adjoining the Risdon works and half a mile of water front at the southern end of the city. These purchases are said to have cost the corporation a total of $2,250,000.

Important extensions are planned, says the Call, and in connection with the new works, iron ore deposits in the hills of California are to be developed.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Toronto, April 29.—All of Toronto's 110 hotel licenses and 52 shop licenses and 11 wholesale liquor licenses were unconditionally renewed yesterday. The Printers' Club license was cancelled and the applications for the Irish Club and the Dominion Bowling Club were refused, leaving 21 club licenses.

ALLEGED BLACKMAILER.

London, April 29.—Alexandre Tschernadieff was arraigned in the Old Bailey court yesterday charged with an attempt to blackmail the Duchess de Choiseul-Pressiln, formerly Mrs. Chas. Hamilton Paine, of Boston. The only new evidence offered was that of Geo. Rodier, of Paris, who testified that the defendant had tried through him to obtain $30,000 for the delivery of letters said to have been written by the Duchess to "Count" D'Aulbey de Gallgny.

FATAL RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

Spokane, April 29.—Thrown from her buggy when the horse, frightened by a road roller, ran away, Mrs. H. F. Kendall was killed yesterday afternoon. Two of her daughters were also thrown out and one slightly injured and the other not hurt.

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MEXICAN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

FORMAL CONFERENCE MAY BEGIN TUESDAY

Dr. Gomez Will Probably Be Selected as Commissioner by Madero

El Paso, April 29.—It is expected that with the arrival here to-night of Dr. Vasquez Gomez, that he will be named by General Madero as the insurrecto peace commissioner.

Judge Francisco Carbalaka, the government commissioner, probably will be here Monday and the formal peace conference will, it is hoped, begin the following day.

Abram Gonzales, provisional governor of the state of Chihuahua, arrived last night. He expressed himself as none too confident of the success of the negotiations. The statement that there are 5,000 insurrectos in the state of Puebla is challenged here. The last reports received here show that there were about 1,000 of them and that only a small percentage were armed. This report is some weeks old, however, and it is admitted that the revolt in that state has grown rapidly with the reports of success in the north and the growing knowledge that the government cannot control the situation.

POACHING IS NOW A THING OF PAST

(Continued from page 1.)

spector for British Columbia, requested Ottawa to take prompt steps in order to stamp out poaching. Orders were received here to proceed with the work and the two whalers Germania and Sebastian were chartered.

On February 6, the two commissioners arrived from Ottawa and on the following day they embarked on the vessels and left for the West Coast. Throughout the heavy weather which has prevailed off the coast since that time the two little vessels have patrolled the Canadian waters, but not once was a vessel sighted inside the three-mile-limit. The seizing of the Edrie acted as a warning to the United States fishermen and since then they have not ventured in too close.

The whalers were ideal boats for the cruise, according to the commissioners. They had ample speed to overtake the average fishing vessels and were well able to stand the roughest weather which they encountered.

Although not in love with the West Coast, the two commissioners think Victoria is the only spot worth living in in Canada. They have had very little time in this city but have used every minute to see the beauties of the Queen City of the west, and they are enraptured with her charms.

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M. DALY'S DAUGHTER DEAD.

New York, April 29.—Mrs. Margaret Daly Brown, daughter of the late Marcus Daly and wife of H. C. Brown, a banker, died early to-day at her mother's home on Fifth avenue. Mrs. Brown's death occurred within a few hours after her arrival on a special car which brought her on a fast train from Montana. Her husband, mother and other members of her family were at the bedside when death came. A special car occupied by Mrs. Brown and attendants left Anaconda, Mont., on Tuesday. They reached the city last evening when physicians said Mrs. Brown's condition was very critical. Mrs. Brown was married in 1901, and inherited several million.

TWO MEN COMMIT SUICIDE AT SEATTLE

Wealthy Lumberman and Lawyer End Their Lives by Shooting

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—Edward E. Brehm, a wealthy lumberman, and Joseph F. Eades, lawyer, both ended their lives yesterday in Seattle by shooting.

Brehm had been brooding over recent ill health and Mr. Eades had grieved over the death of a favorite daughter. Neither left any note or other explanation of motive for taking his own life. Brehm shot himself while standing on the edge of a pier and his body dropped into the water. Eades was found by his wife in his office in the Washington building, foot of Cherry street, lying dead when she called for him in the afternoon.

AN ANGRY SCENE IN COUNCIL CHAMBER

(Continued from page 1.)

Alderman Moresby immediately appealed to the chair to have the vile imputation withdrawn.

Mayor Morley—I am afraid you will have to withdraw that statement, Ald. Humber. There is a limit to the latitude of expression in debate. We must have decent order. The etiquette of debate does not permit one alderman to call another a liar.

Alderman Humber—"Well, I will withdraw the statement, but I will say that Alderman Moresby is mismanaging the truth." This brilliant subterfuge tickled the other members of the council immensely and they laughed joyously, the only serious face being that of Alderman Moresby, who was in deadly earnest.

Alderman Moresby was about to review the situation further when the mayor requested him to confine himself more particularly to the question of privilege. Coming again, Alderman Moresby said he did not expect that Alderman Humber would so candidly have admitted that he gave out the information. It was contemptible, he said.

Alderman Humber then went to bat with the unfortunate preface: "My dear friend," which was like pouring oil on troubled waters.

"You're no friend of mine," retorted Alderman Moresby scornfully.

Unmindful of this loss, Alderman Humber went on: "You all know that Alderman Moresby moved that the salary of the engineer be increased. Now I have told you all along that there will be no secret meetings with me. I don't care what you say. I will always do that."

Alderman Moresby (sotto voce)—You're a hot air artist.

Alderman Humber (hearing)—I am not a hot air artist.

Alderman Moresby—What are you?

Both alderman resumed their seats, but the wordy warfare, which had been blind and royal in its initial stages, now degenerated into ungallant skirmishes in the dark. Now and again a word was caught, from which it could be gathered that while Alderman Moresby insisted upon libelling the honor of his colleague the latter maintained a volley of friendly invitations to step outside and settle the matter.

When order had been temporarily restored Alderman Peden addressed the house. He stated that his name had also been mentioned in connection with the debate at the secret session. He did not mind that, and he wanted everybody to understand that, but he thought that once they had agreed that a session be held in secret it was the duty of the members of the council to observe the pact.

Mayor Morley then cleared the atmosphere a little with a piece of fatherly advice, which was in effect that any of the members of the council who were so thin skinned as to take umbrage at what was said about them in the newspapers had better resign. As to the discussion which had been going on he thought it was all very amusing.

Alderman Moresby was about to reiterate his innocence of ever giving away any information when the mayor pulled him up. "This may be very serious," he said, "but it is also very amusing."

Not to be denied, however, Alderman Moresby got up again and stated that if the newspapers were to go on treating the aldermen in their synical, sneering way, it was about time they should be excluded altogether. Otherwise they would not get decent, respectable aldermen to come and work for the city.

Having delivered himself of this sentiment he sat down but apparently the firing line, which was represented by Alderman Langley, who sat between the combatants, was spitting bullets again, for he arose almost immediately and declared that he could not sit near "that contemptible man. One or other of us will have to go," he said.

The mayor—"Any alderman who does not obey the rules of the chair must leave." This dictum, uttered in determined tones, had the effect of applying the closure to one of the most unpleasant but withal most humorous sessions of council held in a long time.

What Alderman Moresby actually did do in connection with the engineer during the "secret" session was to move that his salary be increased $100 a year. Whether the idea at the back of the proposal was to insult that official or whether it was a sincere tribute of appreciation may be left to the intelligence.

One direct result of the disturbance was the reinstatement of the press to favor. Whether fear or favor was the actuating impulse is a question of little concern. The motion that the press be allowed to remain during the further consideration of the estimates, which came on immediately after the "fracas," was moved, seconded, thinked, and carried without a word of protest.

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"I regret that I cannot be present at your anniversary. I assure you that I would have taken a particular pleasure in assisting and in being in the midst of those who are so closely connected with the great vehicle of public thought which sways such a great power in moulding the moral, intellectual and social life of the people."

ACTIVITY OF MORMONS.

British Government Asked to Stop Campaign in England.

London, April 29.—Under the presidency of Bishop Weldon, a mass meeting was held last night and resolutions were adopted calling upon the government to take steps to stop the activities of Mormon missionaries in England. It was announced during the meeting that the Mormons have 82 churches in England, with 80,000 members and 500 missionaries. It was said also that last year there were 963 converts of which 500 went to Utah.

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Bee Street, from Marrion Street to Bourchier Street.

Bourchier Street, from Foul Bay Road to its present termination.

Hampshire Road, from Oak Bay Avenue to Brighton Avenue.

And to construct and undertake a five foot cement sidewalk on the east side of Hampshire Road, from Oak Bay Avenue to Brighton Avenue, and intends to assess the final cost thereof upon the various portions of real property immediately to be benefited thereby fronting and abutting upon the aforesaid streets. The number of the annual special assessments will be ten.

The estimated cost of the works is $7,568.40.

A statement showing the land liable to and proposed to be assessed for the said improvements or works and the names of the owners thereof so far as the same can be ascertained from the last revised Assessment Roll and otherwise, is now filed in the office of the Clerk of the Corporation, and is open for inspection during office hours.

Persons entitled and desiring to petition the Council against undertaking the said proposed works must do so on or before the 15th day of June, 1911.

Dated the 27th day of April, 1911.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

"Well," sighed the little stenographer lady, as she passed me a newspaper indicating three tiny lines which set forth the portentious fact that Theodosia So-and So's parents were announcing her engagement to Roderick Bingham Such-and-Such,—tiny as it looks to us I've no doubt that agate type stands out like seventy-point head lines done in scarlet to Roderick and Theodosia—"I hope this will teach me a lesson."

"About what?" we naturally inquired.

"That it's time persons of your advanced age were thinking about their futures," suggested the wants-to-be cynic.

Molly apparently didn't even hear this interpolation.

"Well, my dears," she answered us, "Theodosit, as you know, is an old chum of mine and last time she came to visit me she told me all about her love affairs and asked my advice. There were two men and she said she wanted my honest opinion of them. And what do you think I did? I actually gave it. I told her I didn't see how she could have a moment's doubt. I said that one of them was a nice, clean looking, clean minded, whole souled, honest young chap that any girl would be proud to have love her, and that the other was a perfect pill. I said he was the most totally and thoroughly uninteresting man I ever talked to, that his looks made me think of an undertaker, that I knew he was the kind of man that would never expect her to stray from her own hearth once she was married, and that I'd heard he was terribly close."

"Well, what of it," we queried. "Are you sorry she took your advice?"

"But she didn't," wailed Molly, aroused by her own graphic recital of her advice to the full horror of her offence. "She didn't; Roderick is the pill. How shall I ever face her again? She'll never forgive me and once we promised each other that whoever was married first would have the other for bridesmaid, and now I don't suppose I'll ever be one."

"Oh, cheer up," urged the lady-who-always-knows-somehow. "She'll forget it."

"Sure," said the cynic. "Anyhow she probably just thinks you said all that because you were jealous and wanted to go in for Roderick what's-his-name, yourself."

This time Molly heard the cynic sufficiently to cast a withering glance in his direction.

"Maybe she will forget it," she accepted the lady's comfort, "but anyhow I'll never give anyone advice about love affairs again. I think people just ask it so they can have the pleasure of not taking it. I won't express an honest opinion of any man to a girl even if he's only called on her once, because it's just my luck that if I do the next thing I know she'll be marrying him and hating me because I said he was a pill.

"Hereafter when anyone insists on my telling them what I think I'll always say, 'He seems like a very nice man, but I don't really feel that I know him well enough to judge.'"

"Ruth," said the want-to-be-cynic, "tell Molly you have discovered a tender feeling in your heart for me and you'd like to know her honest opinion of me."

"Ruth," said the little stenographer lady, "you wouldn't force me to break my good resolutions so soon?"

Ruth Cameron

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CHILLIWACK TENNIS CLUB.

Chilliwack, April 28.—At the annual meeting of the Chilliwack tennis club the following officers were elected: President, T. E. Caskey; vice-president, Chas. Hutcheson; executive committee, A. N. Smith, F. A. Hewer and W. E. Frost; secretary-treasurer, N. S. McKenzie.

The question of making the third court was discussed, and a committee was appointed to make the alterations if found necessary. A new pavilion will be erected and the grounds put in shape for the opening of the courts early in May.

The season promises to be one of the best since the club has been organized. A great many new players have come to the valley and the fact of a rapid and easy mode of travel from other places will bring to the city many interested in the game.

The monthly tournaments so popular last year will again be carried out, and it was decided at the annual meeting, in view of the many events at the annual tournament to divide the club and open games into two tournaments, the club tournament to take place some time about the last of July and the open tournament to follow later.

CHIC SPRING COSTUME.

Once more we have recalled the Eton jacket, but this time an improvement has been made in the way of kimona sleeves. One modiste has among her early models a unique gown of gray and black checked velvet, with an effectively shaped tunic of gray crepe meteor. The Eton of meteor opens over a vest of checked velvet and yoke and stock of white Irish crochet lace. Black velvet-covered buttons trim tunic and jacket.

—A. B. Oldershaw, jeweler, has removed to 1405 Douglas street, opposite P. Burns.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Archibald Dunlap has returned from a visit to Nanaimo.

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Miss R. Fanchett left on Friday for a three weeks' visit in Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Preston and child returned home last night to Kamloops.

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R. H. Wellington left yesterday for Portland, Ore., via the Northern Pacific.

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Mrs. R. J. Taylor and Mrs. A. Calderwood are in Vancouver for the horse show.

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Mrs. R. H. Canon, Winnipeg, is staying here with her niece, Mrs. Richard R. Hammond.

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Miss Wakeham, Vancouver, has returned home after a fortnight's visit with friends here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Wise and Miss K. Devereux have gone to Cowichan on a fishing trip.

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Hon. R. E. Young will be acting premier during Hon. Richard McBride's absence in the old country.

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Mrs. James Harvey, Pier Island, is in town for a few days with her sister, Mrs. Willey, Dunsmuir road.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gardiner, who have been visiting friends here, have returned home to Vancouver.

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Mrs. W. P. Cantley and daughters, who have been on a visit here, left yesterday for their home in Fernie.

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Manager Coulson, Canadian Collieries, Ltd., has been confined to his room at the Empress for some days, through illness.

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Murray S. Potts, president of the United Brotherhood of America, Vancouver, is at the Empress. Mrs. Potts is also in town visiting friends.

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The principalship of the Nanaimo High school has been filled by the appointment of Mr. Schwartze, of this city, who enters upon his duties on Monday.

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The marriage of Mr. Patrick John Brien and Miss Jean Milne Wishart took place at St. Paul's manse, Victoria West, on Wednesday evening, Rev. Dr. MacRae officiating.

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Mrs. W. W. Clarke and Miss Alma Clarke, Vancouver, are in the city for a day or two. Miss Clarke came over to her native city to play at the Ladies' Musical Club concert last evening.

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Colonel Gunting, who has just been appointed superintendent of fire insurance by the provincial government, has returned to Toronto to settle up his private affairs and will assume the duties of his new office on July 1.

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Mrs. Ralph Smith, Nanaimo, passed through the city yesterday to meet Mr. Smith in Ottawa on their way to England to attend the coronation, at which Mr. Smith will be a representative of the Canadian House of Commons.

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The marriage of Mr. Edward Mahon, the third son of the Rev. Sir William Mahon, Bart., to Miss Lilette Rebbeck, eldest daughter of the late James K. Rebbeck, took place at Christ church, Vancouver, last Wednesday, Rev. C. C. Owen officiated.

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Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiated last evening at the manse of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, at the marriage of Mr. Joseph Anderson to Miss Helen Hulton Watson, Kirkaldy, Scotland. The bride was attended by Miss Jeanette Watson, while the groomsman was Mr. John Anderson.

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Letters have been received by the provincial game warden, Bryan Williams, announcing the death by being gored by a wounded buffalo in the Soudan of Herr Obelander, the wealthy manufacturer and sportsman of Bohemia, who has been a frequent visitor to this province during successive shooting seasons.

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A pretty wedding took place at 1617 Blanchard street, April 19, when Miss Ellen Eccles was married to Mr. William John Caddell, Vancouver. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. H. Higgins. Mr. Higgins acted as best man. Rev. Hermon H. Carson performed the ceremony. The young couple left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, where they will take up their residence.

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Last evening at the manse, Rev. Dr. Campbell united in marriage Mr. William A. Dulvey, son of Captain Dulvey, of His Majesty's customs, Sydney, Australia, and Miss Agnes Ann Gibson, daughter of Pipe Corporal Gibson, the only surviving piper of the Black Watch who served under Sir Colin Campbell in the Indian Mutiny. The bride was attended by Miss Annie M. Ward, and Mr. J. Lennon supported the groom.

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At the residence of Mr. Mitchell, 2902 Rock Bay avenue, the marriage was celebrated yesterday of Mr. W. George Mitchell and Miss Annie Cameron of Greenock, Scotland. The bride was supported by Miss Isabella Milne, Mr. J. Halket being best man. A marriage supper was held during the evening. On their return from the honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will reside on Victor street.

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There was a large attendance at the card party and dance given in Sempy's hall, Victoria West, on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the choir of St. Mary's church. The Dutch auction, presided over by F. J. Bittancourt was a live feature of the evening. The members of the choir are loud in their expressions of thanks to those who assisted in any way, but particularly to Mrs. Lowry, Miss Davis and Mr. Nyland.

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Hemstitched Linen Towels .... Per doz., 26x36, $1.75; 26x40, $2; 26x45, $3 each
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CONDITIONS EXISTING IN MODERN JERUSALEM

The Religious and Commercial Character of Unholy Holy City

In the March number of The Truth, which is published in Jerusalem by Solomon Feingold, is to be found a very interesting article on "Modern Jerusalem." Here is the introduction of the article and a list of religionists therein given. One is amazed at the whims, philosophies and religious sentiments of humanity.

Jerusalem, like Noah's Ark, contains within its prescribed limits a heterogeneous multitude of creatures, clean and unclean. Every phase of thought, every idosyncracy, every whim of humanity, every freak of intellect has its worthy representative in this ancient City of Salem. To our humble knowledge there are in Jerusalem no less than thirty-one classes of people, each of which is imbued with ideas and notions diametrically opposed to the remaining thirty. Let us begin with the sectarian divisions among the Jews: 1st. Extreme Orthodox; 2nd. Moderate Orthodox, Reformed Jews; 4th. Sephardim; 5th. Karaites; 6th, Hebrew Christians. Next we come to the Mohammedans. Here are the Conservative Moslems and Liberal Moslems. Then follows a list of Christians. Greek Orthodox; Greek Catholics; Latins; Armenians; Copts, Abyssinians; Maronites; High Churchmen; American Free Churchmen; Baptists; Lutherans; Calvinists; Adventists; Sabbatarians; British Israelites; Latter Day Saints; Mormons; Templars; Unitarians; Christian Scientists; Rationalists, Atheists and Pantheists. In this kaleidoscopic list I do not see the name of Methodist, or Quaker. Perhaps in Jerusalem the people of these two communions are not known as religionists. The Pantheists are a peculiar sect of the religious tabulation.

A leading Atheist was asked why he went to Jerusalem to ply his creed. His reply is striking at all events: "I came to Jerusalem because it was from there that the three uppermost religions emanated—religions which I am thoroughly convinced, were invented and concocted by human brains; and it is from Jerusalem that the contradiction and refutal must be proclaimed to the uttermost parts of the earth. I am happy to state that since my sojourn here I have won over many to my views. Yes, I have gained many adherents even from among the priests of the various convents who help me greatly in my propaganda." Surely these are strange mortals on earth.

An Adventist being asked as to the reason of his going to labor in the "Holy City" answered: "I came to Jerusalem to witness the downfall of Gog and Magog outside the walls of Ancient Jerusalem, and also behold with my own eyes how the Anti-Christ is defeated and chained to the Tower of David." I wonder how long that queer man will remain in Salem.

A Mormon, on being querried as to the cause of his appearing in the historic city, made answer as follows: "I came to Jerusalem to expose the errors of Pseudo-Mormonism which has disgraced Christianity by its licentious, bigamous practices. I intend to found in this city of the Lord a Church of Latter Day Saints." I wonder who will help him to show that the whole proposition needs to be greatly recast.

The writer gives a glowing picture of the fierce rivalries, fanaticisms, hates, and defamings cast froth by each and all at the balance, as if only one were right and the rest terribly wicked.

The editor in another number of Truth says: "Jerusalem is the centre of schism, scandal-mongery, revelry, covetousness, envy, hatred, and party strife." Then the question is asked: "How is it that the mist of zealotism is so thick that western civilization with all its radium and X-rays is powerless to penetrate its destiny?"

"How is it that instead of progressing and becoming a model city of righteousness, wisdom, commerce and prosperity, it is now considered by all the world as a spot only fit for moral and physical lepers?" What is the cause of this awful anathema that rests upon the metropolis which once the Creator of the Universe honored by the presence of His ambassadors." The above questions are from a correspondent who signs himself Y.-Z.

The editor very caustically makes the following reply:

"O, son of man thou dost not well to blame Jerusalem, if is the dwellers therein that pollute her. . . . Can an edifice endure when each of its stones is fighting for prominence? Can a convay prosper when its members are plotting and conspiring against each other? Can a vehicle advance rapidly when its horses are pulling in different directions?"

The population of Jerusalem is between 80,000 and 100,000, and the nanationalities represented therein are almost as numerous as there are on each. The diplomats therein are as much and fiercely at loggerheads as are the religionists and non-religionists. Company promotion is in a most deplorable state. Germany, Turkey, Russia, Greece, Austria, Italy, France, England and most other nations have their patriotic financial representatives to add to this boiling pot-full of troubles. However, this too must pass away, for a better day is coming to Jerusalem, if Holy Scriptures tell truth about this historic capital of the ancient Jews, the most wonderful people in the history of mankind.—Prof. Odlum in Western Call.

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BIG TIMBER DEAL

Seattle, Wash., April 29.—James A. Moore, president of the Western Steel Corporation has closed a deal for the sale of 16,000 acres of land on the Columbia river, near Whitcomb, Wash., to syndicate of Oregon and Washington capitalists, headed by Miles C. Moore, of Walla Walla. The price is given as $400,000. The syndicate will spend upwards of $500,000 in developing the property this summer.

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ALLEGED FILIBUSTERS.

San Jaun, P. R., April 29.—Gen. Carlos E. Morales, the former president and Maurice Jiminez, the vice-president of Santo Domingo, were arraigned yesterday charged with planning a filibustering expedition against San Domingo and held for the grand jury in default of $2,500 bail were sent to jail.

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THREE MILLION STARVING IN CHINA

Men and Women Drop Dead in Streets From Lack of Food

San Francisco, Cal., April 29.—According to the accounts of the famine in China brought by the United States army transport Buford, which reached San Francisco yesterday, whole villages have been depopulated, and even in the streets of the large city of Nanking men and women may be seen dropping dead from lack of food.

One-fourth of the cargo of the Buford, consisting of flour, rice, wheat, canned meats and salmon, was delivered at Chingkiang to the Christian Herald famine relief committee. The foodstuffs were taken 100 miles up the Yellow river and distributed among various villages.

According to estimates obtained by officers of the Buford, there are about 2,000,000 persons in northern Anhui and 1,000,000 in northern Kiangsu starving for lack of food.

SKEENA RIVER SERVICE.

Prince Rupert, April 29.—This season the headquarters of Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart's fleet of river steamers will be Kitselas. There can be no doubt that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway will be running a regular service of trains between Prince Rupert and Kitselas by the time navigation of the Skeena opens, but there will be plenty for the steamers to do beyond this point. There will be traffic still by water between Prince Rupert and Hazelton, for the Hudson Bay Co.'s steamers, Hazelton and Port Simpson, and also the Inlander, will continue to make the full trip as before.

Indications point to a season in the interior that will tax the resources of both the 100-mile stretch of railway and the squadron of vessels. It is confidently expected by all residents of the north that this year will be one of the busiest ever experienced by the Skeena River district. The steamers, many of which have been lying at Prince Rupert during the winter, are now being overhauled and placed into shape for the approaching season.

Between Kitselas and Hazelton heavy traffic is certain to originate, and between these points the river boats will do the work that the railway is not yet in a position to do. There will undoubtedly be a heavy steamboat travel between the present end of steel and the interior towns.

WILL NOT BUILD.

Vancouver, April 28.—The idea of building a new Holy Trinity Church in place of the existing structure on Eighth Avenue was at the annual vestry meeting, left in abeyance for the present, but it was hoped that within a year it might be possible for the church to be better equipped financially, and that they might then make a start on the new undertaking.

Rev. H. Beacham, rector, was in the chair. The reports of the church committee and the treasurer were received. From the first report it appeared that on account of the lack of interest shown by the congregation in regard to the building of a proposed new church, it was suggested that the whole matter of building be deferred for twelve months.

The treasurer's annual report followed, showing receipts, $2,527, and expenditures, $2,469. The building fund balance was $461. The total assets were $21,126, with a credit balance of $4,912. The amount of monthly subscriptions required was stated to be $165, while that received came to $130. The report was adopted.

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Fullerton Ave., lot 54 x 124, to lane, on improved street; very easy terms $1150

Olive Street, Fairfield Estate, lot 50 x 120. A snap; owner forced to sell; 1-3 cash. Price $850

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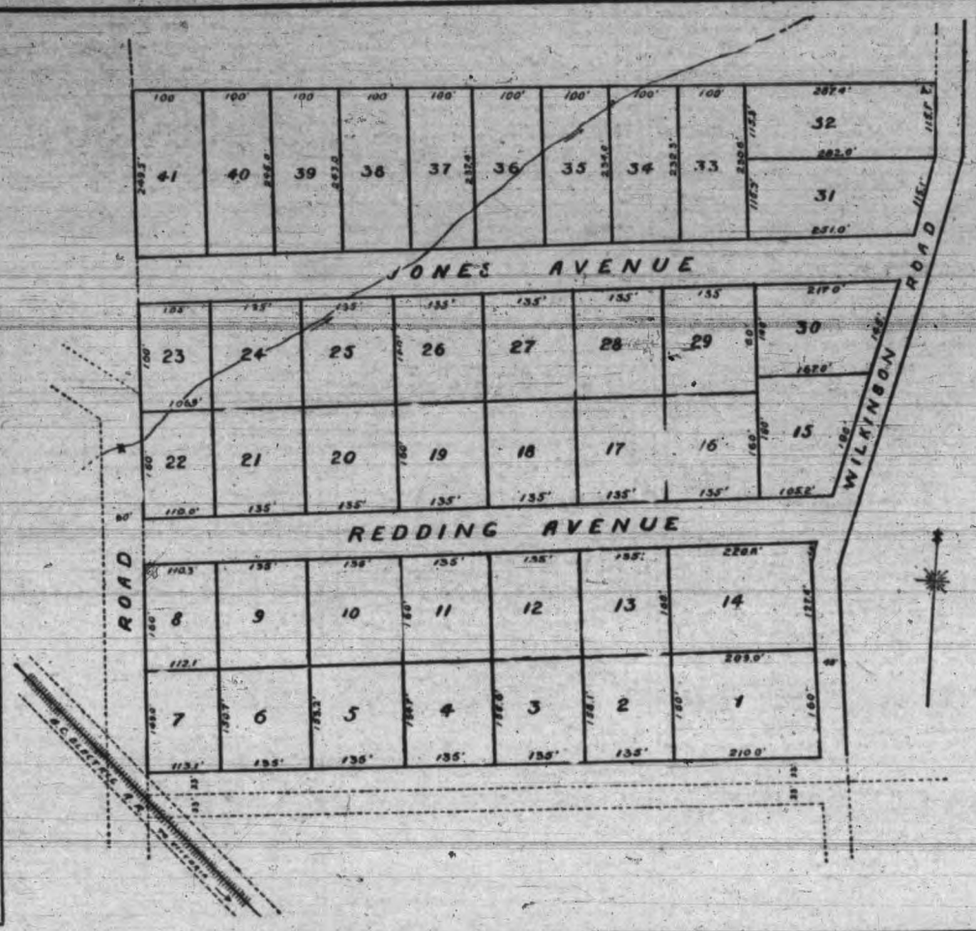

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C. P. R. STOCK TAKES ANOTHER LEAP

Montreal, April 29.—C. P. R. took another leap to-day, closing at 239⅛ in London, equivalent to 232¾ here. The markets on this side, however, were even more enthusiastic than London, and at the opening 233¼ was bid right off the bat, with 234 asked. There was a sale at 233, then the price faded a little with sales at 232 and 232¼. Steel started at 56¼ to 56½ and there was some selling of Woods around 134. Street railway was firm, but quiet. The deal is making satisfactory progress, it is said. Ottawa sold at 148⅝.

WANTED IN BOSTON.

(Special to the Times.)

Calgary, Alb., April 29.—Two detectives from Boston arrived here this morning bringing extradition papers for the return of Louis F. Gates, charged with embezzlement of over $7,000. He is a salesman in the employment of the Gillette Safety Razor Co.

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M'MANIGAL ADMITS MAKING STATEMENT

Reasons for Action Said to Be Satisfactory to the Defence

Los Angeles, Cal., April 29. — Ortie McManigal, who is alleged to have made a confession in the dynamiting case, made another change of front to-day. Despite his declaration to attorneys that he would see none of the counsel for the defence, he held an interview with Attorney Hilton at 10 o'clock to-day. Hilton said afterwards that McManigal admitted that he had made a statement to the district attorney and gave his reasons for doing so, which he says were eminently satisfactory to the defence.

Another link in the chain of evidence against James B. McNamara was forged to-day by his further identification as the man who lived in San Francisco under the name of J. B. Bryce and who is charged with the actual dynamiting of the Times plant. Trebor McCachron, a bell boy at the Hotel Argonaut, San Francisco, where the man known as Bryce lived the latter part of last September, just prior to the explosion of the Times on October 1, positively identified him as Bryce. Several persons were brought before the district attorney in the jail, among them being James McNamara. As soon as McCachron's eyes rested upon them he is said to have pointed McNamara as the one he had know as Bryce.

James McNamara to-day received his first visitor, aside from his attorneys, since he arrived in Los Angeles. The visitor was J. E. Timmons, Los Angeles, representative of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, of which Jonh G. McNamara is secretary. At the conclusion of the brief meeting Timmons said that he had called only to express sympathy with the accused man and to offer him any aid possible.

Leaders to Confer.

Washington, D. C., April 29.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, will go to Indianapolis to-night to participate in a conference of national labor leaders on the subject of the McNamara arrests and the Los Angeles dynamiting case.

NAVIGATION OF ST. LAWRENCE.

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, April 29.—With flags flying the steamship Royal George arrived in port here at 7 o'clock this morning, and as a result Captain Harrison has won the distinction of being the first commander to open up navigation on the St. Lawrence.

BRITAIN'S LARGEST CRUISER-BATTLESHIP

Latest Addition to Navy Will Have Speed of 28 Knots an Hour

Barrow-on-Furness, England, April 29.—The Princess Royal, the largest cruiser battleship ever built for the British navy, was launched to-day and christened by Princess Louise, after whom the vessel was named. The cruiser has a displacement of 16,160 tons and turbine engines affording 70,000 horse-power. Her contract calls for a speed of 28 knots an hour. She will carry 13.5-inch guns, besides smaller weapons.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Vancouver: Batteries—Tacoma: McCamment and DeVogt. Vancouver: Engle and Lewis.

First inning: Vancouver, 1; Tacoma, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	9	1
Brooklyn	3	10	1

Batteries—Mathewson and Myers; Harger and Bergen.

ECLIPSE OF SUN.

Vavao, Pacific Ocean (Via Suva, Fiji Islands), April 29.—Astronomer Barachi, head of the Australian astronomical expedition says his observations of the eclipse of the sun was only partially successful, being interfered with by clouds.

HOMES

BURDETTE AVENUE, lot 60x120, 10 roomed house, in good shape. Terms. Price **$6,500**

CALEDONIA AVENUE, lot 50x140, 6 roomed modern house, brick foundation; well built in every detail. Easy terms. Price **$4,400**

CORMORANT STREET, lot 60x120, 7 roomed house, quite new; conservatory. Terms. Price **$10,000**

DALLAS AVENUE, lot 60x120, 8 roomed modern bungalow; well built and designed in every detail. Terms. Price is **$5,000**

ROCK BAY AVENUE, lot 50x110, 8 roomed house; rooms all full size; modern and well planned for a boarding house. Terms. Price **$6,600**

STANLEY AVENUE, lot 50x120, 6 large roomed house; quite modern; nice lawn. Price **$4,500**

ADMIRAL'S ROAD, lot 50x120, 5 roomed modern house; Every convenience. Terms. Price **$6,300**

ADMIRAL'S ROAD, lot 57x120, up to date 8 roomed house; everything in good shape. Terms. Price **$10,000**

HEREWARD ROAD, lot 50x100, 4 roomed house, only just built; full sized basement; concrete foundation. Easy terms. Price **$1,890**

LANGFORD STREET, lot 40x135, 6 roomed modern house, containing all requirements. Easy terms. Price .. **$3,200**

Homeseekers should watch this space as the items are changed daily

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 29.—5 a. m.—The pressure is becoming abnormally high over the North Pacific slope and the prairie provinces and fair weather is general. Frost is reported at various points west of the Rockies, and in Alberta and Saskatchewan it has become decidedly colder under the influence of the high pressure. Present conditions indicate fair weather in these districts during the next 48 hours.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday.

Victoria and vicinity—Southerly and easterly winds, fair to-day and Sunday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair to-day and Sunday.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, 37; minimum, 37; wind, 2 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 38; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, 40; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, 2; minimum, 20; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.60; temperature, 40; minimum, 38; wind, 18 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Friday:

Temperature.

Highest	59
Lowest	39
Average	49

Bright sunshine, 11 hours 36 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

Hamilton, Ont., April 29.—The new grandstand, which is being constructed at the Britannia baseball grounds here, collapsed yesterday afternoon, burying four workmen, one of whom is believed to be fatally injured.

BORN.

ALEXANDER—In this city, on the 22rd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alexander, a son.

DIED

ROBBINS—At St. Joseph's hospital, on April the 27th, Wm. Ed. Robbins, aged 63, late Major 3rd Royal Fusiliers, Vol. Battn.

DOWNEY—At Kamloops, on April 28th, 1911, Marion Edith, wife of Mr. J. Henry Downey, of Saanich, B. C. Funeral notice later.

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FOR SALE—A well built, nine roomed, modern house, on corner lot 60x120, 8 minutes' walk from P. O., price $12,000, terms. Apply owner, Box 22, Times. m4

500 MEN AND WOMEN WANTED to come to the concert, supper and dance given by the Socialist Party in the A. O. U. W. Hall at 8 p. m. on the 1st of May. Dresser's orchestra will provide the music. a29

"THE SANDRINGHAM"—Miss Neale begs to notify her patrons that "The Sandringham" will be moved to the Haynes Building, 729 Fort street, next to Dr. Hall's, on the 1st May, and will be open for business on Wednesday, the 3rd. A continuance of your esteemed patronage will be appreciated. a29

HALF OR WHOLE INTEREST to be sold on a patented article. Owner has not enough capital to advance same on the market. Box 18, Times. a29

FOUND—Liver and white pointer dog. Owner can have same by paying expenses. J. J. Russell, 1413 Vining St. m2

WE SELL YOUR LANDS—Farm lands in this vicinity are so high that many farmers are selling their property and investing in Canadian lands. The circulation of The Commercial-News of Danville, Ill., is 12,879 daily. Classified rate, one cent a word for three days, two cents a word for a week, six cents a word for a month; cash in advance. a29

NEW HOUSE, Richmond avenue, 5 rooms, all modern, lot 60x120 ft., $4,000; $1,000 cash, balance as rent. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

2 LOTS on Pembroke street, no rock, 50x120 ft., $700 each, good terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

50x239 FT. ON FERN STREET, near Fort, only $2,000; 1-3 cash. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

EXCHANGE Rover runabout, in good condition, $300. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

A SNAP AND A GOOD ONE—12 nice level lots, University Heights, $375 each, good terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

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ABOUT 3 ACRES of good land, partly cleared, on Glanford avenue, $2,350. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates St. a29

$2,600—NEW HOUSE, 5 rooms and basement, all modern, large lot, on Asquith street; this is good value. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a29

TO RENT—Large, modern house; 3 room cottage and store, Victoria West; 6 room cottage, Kelvin road. Pioneer Realty, 615 Fort. a29

FOR SALE—Lots, Alberni, from $100 to $150; 7, 5 and 4 acres and buildings, Cadboro Bay. Pioneer Realty, 615 Fort. a29

FURNISHED ROOMS, every convenience, 419 Oswego, near Michigan. Phone L2517. m2

HORSE FOR SALE—A beautiful black thoroughbred driving horse (mare), the finest horse in Seattle, a lady can drive her; will also sell buggy and harness, everything complete. Address Rudolph Gross, 321 First Ave. South, Seattle, or Hotel Washington Annex. m5

CARPENTERS—Don't forget mass meeting in Broad Street Hall to-night at 7 o'clock. All invited. a29

CLEAR AND WARM TO-MORROW—Take the wife and kiddies out to Gorge View Park—and look over the prettiest spot around Victoria to build a home—just across Gorge bridge. L. W. Bick. a29

SPECIAL SNAP—If you want a pretty home, we can save you $2,000 by taking it at once. Owner is going away and will sacrifice. You couldn't wish for anything nicer for a home, and the lot is extra large, with beautiful flowers, fruit, etc., close to car and sea. Price for a few days $5,250, easy terms. National Realty Co., 1232 Government St. a29

WANTED—Lady assistant in office; no experience necessary. Box 33, Times. a29

"THE SANDRINGHAM"—Miss Neale begs to notify her patrons that "The Sandringham" will be moved to the Haynes Building, 729 Fort street, next to Dr. Hall's, on the 1st May, and will be open for business on Wednesday, the 3rd. A continuance of your esteemed patronage will be appreciated. a29

TO LET—Small furnished cottage. Apply 1018 Quadra street. m2

IF YOU ARE LOOKING for a good investment or a nice home site, look these over: Business site, 137x58, only $9,000; 24 acres, 3 miles from City Hall, $750 per acre; lot, McKenzie avenue, 150x124, $1,600; lot, Regina avenue, 50x120, $400; 2 lots, Asquith street, either one an ideal home site, $650 each; lot, Gladstone avenue, 40x145, $800; easy payments on all. Office open evenings. Investors' Securities Co., 1316 Douglas street. m2

FOR SALE—McLaughlin buggy, rubber tires, cheap. Apply 2003 Quadra St. m5

BURNSIDE ROAD CAR LINE—One block away, on Hampton road, the best corner in the whole sub-division, 57x120, with a new shack, only $675; $285 cash, balance 6, 12, 18. Grubb & Letts, Green Block, Broad street. a29

COOK STREET—Corner Hilda, 60x120, $2,300; this is the cheapest buy on the street. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce avenue. Open evenings. a29

VICTORIA HEIGHTS—The ideal spot for a home. Quarter acre lots $500, on easy terms. See us about this. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Building. a29

BAY STREET, near Blanchard, a new, modern, 5 room cottage, ready to move into, only $2,600; about $500 cash, balance monthly. Grubb & Letts, Green Block, Broad street. a29

NOTICE—Tenders for the erection of addition to office building at corner of Broughton and Government streets will be received by the undermentioned (at whose office the plans and specifications may be seen) up to 9 a. m. on Saturday, 6th May. Frank I. M. Owen, architect, 1122 Government street. m2

VICTORIA WEST—4 roomed cottage, lot 50x100, $1,750, $400 cash, balance to arrange; 6 roomed house and 2 lots, 50x100, $2,850, $500 cash, easy terms, or will sell house and one lot for $2,250; also some good lots from $500. Victoria Realty Co., Davie Chambers, Bastion St. a29

BURNSIDE BARGAIN—Lot 232x232, one and quarter acres, $2,000 cash takes it, inside city limits, car line. L. W. Bick. a29

WANTED—2 rooms and board, near Government Buildings, by young man and sister. Apply Box 35, Times. a29

DAVIES, auctioneer, removed to the Skating Rink, 938 Fort street (temporary premises), to clear the stock of furniture, stoves, linoleums, carpets and other goods. a29

FAIRFIELD SNAP—Lot 30x135, with lane, close to Beacon Hill Park, on car line, for only $625, on good terms. Box 25, Times. a29

JAMES BAY—3 very good lots, $1,200 each; also good rooming house. Box A256, Times Office. m2

TO LET—Large furnished rooms. 427 Government street. m5

A VIEW OF THE CITY from Victoria Heights must be seen to be realized. Let us take you out to see them. Half acre $1,000, easy terms. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Building. a29

WANTED—On Monday evening, at Labor Hall, every cement worker in the city to attend the final organization meeting of the new Union. a29

NEW, 6 ROOM BUNGALOW, close in, $3,300, easy payments, modern. L. W. Bick. a29

DOUGLAS STREET—60x126, choice location; the street is to be paved past this property; price $3,150, easy terms. 619 Trounce avenue. Open evenings. a29

CHEAP LOT—For quick sale, Newport avenue, just east of Oak Bay Park, size 60x119 to wide lane, price $1,000, on easy terms; adjoining lots are held several hundred dollars higher. Pullen, Oak Bay Realty Office, Oak Bay Ave. m3

FOR SALE—Handsome six room bungalow, stone foundation, large basement, rooms large and beautifully finished, large veranda, full sized lot, with fine oak trees, location high and dry, close to Oak Bay Junction, window blinds, electric light throughout, linoleum on the kitchen and bathroom, large range with all hot water connections; price for a few days $3,800; half cash, balance easy. Box 28, Times. a29

GORGE ROAD—Splendid, new, 7 room house, inside city limits, furnace and everything first-class, $6,850; $2,000 cash will handle this. L. W. Bick. a29

HALF ACRE LOTS—Mt. Tolmie road, near University School, price $850. A. W. Bridgman, 1007 Government St. m2

40 ACRES of good land, with 1,000 ft. beautiful beach, on Saanich Inlet. Particulars, Camosun Realty Co., Royal Hotel Bldg. m2

M. LEON J. EEKMAN, of Brussels, Belgium. French and German; individual lessons and classes. Temporary address, 1298 Walnut street. Phone 1206.

WANTED—Two strong boys to learn trade. Albion Stove Works. m5

A HOMESITE in Victoria Heights, the finest view in Victoria; ½ acres $500, ¾ acres $1,000, acres $1,500. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Building. a29

JAMES BAY—A beautiful home, near the park, on a corner lot 55x155, fruit trees, 5 rooms, modern; will sell either furnished or unfurnished; owner going abroad; you should see this; price and terms very reasonable. L. W. Bick. a29

WANTED—Clerk, used to shipping and general knowledge of office work required. Apply, in own handwriting, Box 631, Victoria, B. C. m2

FISGUARD STREET—Fine level lot, 50x144, $1,000, easy terms. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce avenue. Open evenings. a29

LOCKS, KEYS, REPAIRS — Work promptly attended to in any part of city. Waites & Knapton, 610 Pandora, near Government. Phone 2439.

YOUR LAWN MOWER will cut like new if ground at H. M. Wilson's, 614 Cormorant.

SEE JONES for flat bottom boats, long ladders, step-ladders, etc., 1003 Yates street. Phone L1828.

DO YOU WANT a genuine Panama hat? Do you know where to get it? The Victoria Hat Works has received Panamas for ladies and gents direct from Ecuador, in raw state, and we finish and sell direct to customer. 844 View street.

GORGE VIEW PARK—Selling very fast; call this evening and get a plan and look it over to-morrow. L. W. Bick. a29

SPECIAL INVESTMENT—Fairfield Estate, 1 lot for sale; $300 cash, balance $15 or $20 monthly. Owner, Box 969, Times. a29

WANTED—Representative, either sex, locally, on goods necessary as bread. Salary $2 per day and commission; experience unnecessary. J. L. Nichols Co., Limited, Toronto.

7 O'CLOCK TO 9 O'CLOCK this evening we are open. Let us show you a few good building lots inside city from $375 each. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Building. a29

GENERAL AGENT WANTED—Entirely new system. We help you. Apply quickly before your territory is gone. Our company owns 510 acres in the great San Juan oil fields of Utah. Juno San Juan Oil Co., 396 Chronicle Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

IRMA STREET—Just off Burnside road, high and dry, good view, 50x163, special price for a few days $850. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce avenue. Open evenings. a29

CHARLES BUDDEN—Miniatures for lockets, brooches, etc.; portraits colored, all sizes, or enlarged; posters for bazaars, assemblies, etc., designed to order; hand-painted programmes, menus, etc.; illuminated addresses, heraldic painting, fan painting. See show case in entry. Studio, Redfern Building, Government street.

OFFICE OPEN THIS EVENING. L. W. Bick. a29

$375 FOR A HIGH, LEVEL LOT in the city limits, the cheapest lots to be had, only three left, so look into it right away. Office open this evening until 9 o'clock. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Building. a29

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WILSON, JOHN, Architect, 221 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C. P. O. Box 395. Phone 1592. Res. Phone 2541.

C. ELWOOD WATKINS, Architect, Rooms 1 and 2 Green Block, cor. Broad and Trounce Ave. Phones 2138 and L1398.

H. S. GRIFFITH, 14 Promis Block, 1006 Goverment street. Phone 1489.

DENTISTS

DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone—Office, 557; Residence, 122.

DR. W. F. FRASER, 73 Yates street, Garesche Block. Phone 261. Office hours 9.30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

LAND SURVEYORS

GREEN BROS., BURDEN & CO., Civil Engineers, Dominion and B. C. Land Surveyors, 114 Pemberton Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Branch offices in Nelson (13 years) and Fort George (1 year). m28

F. C. COATES, B. C. Land Surveyor and Dominion Land Surveyor, Room 34, Board of Trade Bldg.

GORE & McGREGOR, British Columbia Land Surveyors and Civil Engineers. J. Herrick McGregor, manager. Chancery Chambers, 52 Langley street. P. O. Box 152. Phone L504. Fort George Office, Second avenue. J. F. Templeton, manager.

LEGAL

C. W. BRADSHAW, Barrister, etc., Law Chambers, Bastion street, Victoria.

MURPHY, FISHER & SHERWOOD, Barristers, Solicitors, etc., Supreme and Exchequer Court Agents, practice in Patent Office and before Railway Commission. Hon. Charles Murphy, M. P. Harold Fisher. L. P. Sherwood. Ottawa, Ont.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER

W. G. WINTERBURN, M.I.N.A., Consulting Mechanical Engineer. Offices 516 Bastion Square. Res., 438 Dallas road. Phone 1531. al tf

MEDICAL MASSAGE

MISS GORDON STEUART, 1144 Pandora street. Massage, manicuring, ladies' hairdressing, electric and vibro hair treatment. Combings made up. Phone R2071. jl1 tf

MR. G. BJORNSFELT, Swedish Masseur, 813 Fort street. Phone L2169.

MRS. EARSMAN, electric light baths; medical massage. 1008 Fort St. Phone R1966.

MUSIC

MUSIC LESSONS—Pianoforte, singing, accompaniments; dance music; thorough tuition; rapid progress; $3 per month. Apply Musician, Times. m3

SHORTHAND

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1109 Broad St. Shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, telegraphy thoroughly taught. E. A. Macmillan, principal.

SINGING.

PAUL EDMONDS, baritone and professor of singing, is now located in the Hibben Block, where he has opened a studio. Phone for appointments. R2495. m19

UNDERTAKER

W. J. HANNA, Funeral Director and Embalmer. Courteous attendance. Chapel, 740 Yates street.

LODGES

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 237 Government street.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 743, I. O. F., meets on second and fourth Monday of each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas streets. Visiting Foresters welcomed. J. W. H. King, R. Sec., 1061 Chamberlain street.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. J. L. Smith, K. of R. & S. Box 544.

VICTORIA, No. 17, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall, every Thursday. E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F., COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 5935, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF SAANICH (South).

Take notice, that I, Rosalie Maud Scharschmidt, of Victoria, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Being an island situated about [illegible] mile northeasterly from the floating buoy placed at the entrance to Tod Inlet, Saanich Arm, said island containing two acres more or less.

Dated March 8th, 1911.

ROSALIE MAUD SCHARSCHMIDT.
Per C. F. Butler, Agent.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 13, Block 2, of Block "A," Woodland Park, Victoria District, Map 882.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate Certificate of Title to said land issued to Phoebe Gilbert on the 18th of March, 1908, and numbered 17448 C.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of March, 1911.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay.

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, 13th May, 1911, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the Assessor and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

Notice of any complaint, stating the ground of complaint must be given in writing to the Assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the Court.

J. S. FLOYD,
C. M. C.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to the by-laws of the said Company, notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, Limited, will be held at their office, 818 Government street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1911, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting any other business that may be brought before the said meeting.

GEO. R. ELLIOTT,
Assistant Secretary.

March 1st, 1911.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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ART GLASS

A. F. ROY'S ART GLASS, LEADED LIGHTS, ETC., for churches, schools, public buildings and private dwellings. Plain and fancy glass sold. Sashes glazed. Special terms to contractors. This is the only firm in Victoria that manufactures steel cored lead for leaded lights, thereby dispensing with unsightly bars. Works and store, 848 Yates street. Phone 594.

CHISHOLM & CARRUTHERS are now located at their new building, 1120 View street, where they have the most up-to-date plant on the Island for the manufacture of leaded art glass, plain and bevelled British plate mirrors, and anything in the glass line. Phone 2768.

BLUE PRINTING AND MAPS

ELECTRIC BLUE PRINT & MAP CO., 1218 Langley street. Blue printing, maps, draughting, dealers in surveyors' instruments and drawing office supplies.

BOOT AND SHOE REPAIRING

THE ONLY SHOE MACHINES that have proven satisfactory are the Champion, made expressly for shoe repairing. Try them. Hibbs, 3 Oriental Alley, opposite Pantages.

BUILDING SUPPLIES

WASH SAND AND GRAVEL, general teaming and contracting. Several good teams and single horses for sale. W. Symons, 741 Johnson street. Telephone 911.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS

CONTRACTING CARPENTER—Phone L1911. T. J. Lopthien, 2652 Rose St.

W. J. TREW & CO., Contractors. Estimates given for bungalows, etc. 638 Princess avenue. all

CONTRACTING CARPENTER—Phone L1977. T. J. Lapthiers, 2652 Rose St. m26

W. EXTON, Builder and General Jobbing Contractor. Cottage homes our specialty. Plans and estimates furnished on application. Prompt attention given to repairs or alterations. 922 Mason St. Phone R954.

A. BROWNSEY, Maywood P. O. G. KNIGHT, 812 Caledonia Ave.
BROWNSEY & KNIGHT,
Carpenters and Builders.
Plans and Estimates Furnished. m18

R. W. ROPER, carpenter and builder, 812 Fort street. Repairs promptly executed, prices moderate. m19

LOOK—Carpenter and builder. All kinds of repairs. Estimates free. J. Parker, 71 M street. Phone 1964.

W. DUNFORD & SON, Contractors and Builders. Houses built on the instalment plan. Plans, specifications and estimates. 233 Pemberton Block. Phone 2315.

CAPITAL CARPENTER AND JOBBING FACTORY—Alfred Jones, builder and contractor. Estimates given on houses, buildings, fence work, alterations, etc. 1003 Yates street. Office phone, L1828; Res., R1003.

E. RAWLINGS,
Carpenter and Builder,
907 Richmond Ave., Victoria, B.C.
Estimates Given. Prices Reasonable.

CARRIAGE BUILDERS

CHAFE & JONES have for sale two new express wagons. Corner Fort and Blanchard streets.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING

O'BRIEN & DUNNE, Chimney and Furnace Cleaners. A good, clean job without any mess guaranteed. Phone up 1310.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Defective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 1018 Quadra St. Phone 1019.

CIGAR STAND.

THE BROADWAY, 852 Yates street. Candies, stationery and toilet requisites. f8 tf

CLEANING AND TAILORING

GENTS' CLOTHES CLEANED, repaired, dyed and pressed; umbrellas and parasols made, repaired and re-covered. Guy W. Walker, 708 Johnson St., just east of Douglas. Phone L1267.

CONCRETE AND CEMENT WORK

WHITE & WHITE, contractors for cement sidewalks, foundations, basements, floors and garden work. 2817 Cedar Hill road. m17

MORRIS & DAVIES—Foundations, floors, walks, driveways, etc.; work guaranteed; prices reasonable. Phoenix street, Victoria West. Phone F209.

BAYS & GEDRIM—Estimates given for concrete cement walks, foundations, basement floors and ornamental work, low prices given; all work guaranteed. 2026 Fernwood road. m5

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LEEMING BROS., LTD., Customs Brokers. Out of town correspondence solicited. 524 Fort street. Telephone 748.

ALFRED M. HOWELL, Customs Broker, Forwarding and Commission Agent, Real Estate. Promis Block, 1006 Government Telephone 1501; Res., R1671.

DECORATORS

MELLOR BROS., LTD.—Wall papers, paints, oils, plate glass. Orders promptly filled. Phone 812. 708 Fort street.

IRWIN & CO.—Painting, paperhanging and decorating. Large and small jobs, such as fences, etc., attended to. All work promptly executed and best materials used. Charges moderate. Trial solicited. Estimates free. Phones, 1971, R2486. m4

DYEING AND CLEANING

THE "MODERN"—Cleaning, dyeing, pressing, repairing. Try the new, the up-to-date, the "Modern" way. 1310 Government street, opposite the Grand. Phone 1887. Four free car tickets with each order of $1 or more brought to us. a25

CLEANING, pressing and repairing carefully attended to. Address Chinese, 1725 Government street. m7

B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS—The largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province. Country orders solicited. Tel. 200. J. C. Renfrew, proprietor.

ELECTRICIANS.

CARTER & McKENZIE, practical electricians and contractors. Telephone and motor work a specialty. Telephone 710. C. H. F. Carter, L2770. C. C. McKenzie, R2667

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY

MRS. P. K. TURNER—Situations found for domestics, etc., at 718 Fort street, the Exchange. Phone 1552. Hours, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., 2 to 5 p. m. m6

L. N. WING ON, 1709 Government street. Phone 23.

ENGRAVERS

GENERAL ENGRAVER, Stencil Cutter and Seal Engraver. Geo. Crowther, 816 Wharf street, behind Post Office.

FISH

WM. J. WRIGLESWORTH—All kinds of fresh, salted and smoked fish in season. Free delivery to all parts of city. 575 Johnson St. Phone 661.

FURRIER

FRED. FOSTER, Taxidermist and Furrier, 1216 Government street.

JUNK

WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, zinc, lead, cast iron, sacks, and all kinds of bottles and rubber; highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1620 Store street. Phone 1336.

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ALL KINDS OF SILKS and Pongee imported direct from China. Ladies' tailoring done to order. So Kee, 1029 Cook street.

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CAMERON & CALDWELL—Hack and livery stables. Calls for hacks promptly attended to day or night. Telephone 693. 711 Johnson street.

RICHARD BRAY, Livery, Hack and Boarding Stables. Hacks on short notice, and tally-ho coach. Phone 182. 728 Johnson street.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER

LANDSCAPE AND JOBBING GARDENER—C. Pedersen. Tree pruning and spraying a specialty. 845 Pandora avenue. Telephone L2486. m15

W. HITCHINS, gardening in all branches. Lawns made, gardens laid out, pruning and spraying. First-class work guaranteed. Estimates given. 1912 Oak Bay Ave., city.

E. J. LAING, Landscape and Jobbing Gardener. Tree pruning and spraying a specialty. Residence, 1039 Pandora Ave. Phone L1487. Office, Wilkerson & Brown's Greenhouse, corner Cook and Fort streets.

LAUNDRY

STANDARD STEAM LAUNDRY, LTD.—The white laundry. We guarantee first-class work and prompt delivery. Phone 1017. 841 View street.

MACHINISTS

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B. C. CORNICE WORKS, 1113 Fort street. Roofing, hot air heating, blow pipe work, metal ceilings, skylights. Estimates given on all sheet metal work. Call or Phone 2039.

PACIFIC SHEET METAL WORKS—Cornice work, skylights, metal windows, metal, slate and felt roofing, hot air furnaces, metal ceilings, etc., 931 View. Phone 1772.

OPTICIAN

OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY'S EXPERIENCE and fine, modern equipment are at the service of my patrons. No charge for examination. Lenses ground on the premises. A. P. Blyth, 645 Fort street. Phone 2259.

PAINTING

FRANK MELLOR, Painting Contractor, 1126 View St. Phone 1564. n16 tf

POTTERY WARE, ETC.

SEWER PIPE, Field Tile, Ground Fire Clay, Flower Pots, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

PAWNSHOP

MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewelley and personal effects. A. A. Aaronson, cor. Johnson and Broad.

ROCK BLASTING.

T. SALVESON, contractor for rock blasting. Estimates given. Phone No. 2728. Dominion road. m13

ROOFING

H. B. TUMMON, slate and tar and gravel roofer, slate black boards; estimates furnished. 522 Hillside avenue.

SCAVENGING

VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO. Office, 1826 Government street. Phone 662. Ashes and garbage removed.

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A WEALTH OF ORIENTAL IMPORTATIONS at lowest cost. Silk embroidered kimonas, gold braided dressing gowns, the prettiest of all waist fronts, fit for a Queen; embroidered crepe de chene in lengths, corded silks in many shades. Quong Man Fung, 1715 Government St. P. O. Box 98.

TRUCK AND DRAY

JEPSEN'S TRANSFERS—Phone 1982, 343 Michigan street. Furniture and piano movers, expresses and trucks.

JEEVES BROS., furniture and piano movers. Phone L3674.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 13. Stable Phone 1793.

VACUUM CLEANERS.

ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS—Santo and Duntley machines to rent by the day, $4; cleanses carpets, etc., without removing. J. Russell, 650 Linden avenue. Phone R2473. m25

WATCH REPAIRING

A. PETCH, 1416 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

Y. W. C. A.

FOR THE BENEFIT of young women in or out of employment. Rooms and board. A home from home. 756 Courtenay street.

Tenders will be received until Noon of the 29th April for the purchase of H. M. S. "Egeria." All standing as she lies. The vessel may be inspected and a list of Stores and Fittings included in the sale seen on application to the Commanding Officer of the Ship between the hours of 9.30 a. m. and 12 noon. There are also 2 Steamboats for sale, which can be inspected at the same time.

Tenders are to be sealed, and addressed to the

COMMANDING OFFICER,
H. M. S. Egeria,
Esquimalt.

The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

O. T. HODGSON,
Lieutenant Commander, R. N.
H. M. S. Egeria.

In the matter of the "Navigable Waters Protection Act" (being Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906).

TAKE NOTICE that William John Cave of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, in pursuance of Section 7 of the above Act has deposited the plans of a wharf and a description of the proposed site thereof, to be constructed upon Lots 1a or 0 1, 2 and 3 Lime Bay, Victoria West, Esquimalt District, in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, B. C., being registry of deeds for the District in which each work is to be constructed.

And take notice that at the expiration of one month from date hereof application will be made to the Governor-in-Council for the approval thereof.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for William J. Cave.
Dated the 19th day of April, A. D., 1911

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—Boarding or rooming house, 11 rooms, 10 minutes from Post Office, $5,500, terms. Apply Times Box 5. m1

FOR SALE—$650 cash, or to let, store, dwelling and lot on Clayoquot townsite, one minute's walk from government wharf; good opening for small general stock, also restaurant business. Apply Box 1, Tofino, B. C. m28

FOR SALE—Real estate and insurance business; must sell on account of health. Box 993, Times. m1

FOR SALE—Milk round, 3 good dairy cows, new Democrat and harness, and cans, cheap for cash. Apply Box 880, Times. a29

FOR RENT—HOUSES

TO LET—Furnished six roomed house. Apply 2313 Quadra street. m1

FOR RENT—7 room house on Wilson street, $30 a month. T. Redding. m2

FOR RENT—Furnished, modern, 8 roomed house, $45. 919 Hillside. Phone L1147. a29

FOR RENT—House, 7 rooms; also furniture for sale. Apply James Farquharson, 1208 Vancouver street. a29

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

QUADRA STREET SUB-DIVISION—We have 3½ acres, just off Hillside avenue, that will make a good sub-division; plans are already made; price $9,000. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. a29

NOTICE—½ acre, on city limits, and house, on Hillside. If not sold in few days prices will be raised as they are below the market. Provis, 407 Wilson street. a29

FRUIT LANDS AT GORDON HEAD—I am specializing in this class of property and have for sale the choicest selection of the district; 5-acre tracts or larger to suit. Prices from $500 per acre. W. Meed, 1208 Douglas street. a29

NOTICE—½ acre, in city limits, and house, on Hillside. If not sold in few days prices will be raised as they are below the market. Provis, 407 Wilson street. a29

HERE IS A BUY IN A FARM—Otter Point, 100 acres, 10 cleared, 15 acres easily cleared; no rock, new house 5 rooms. All for $3,500, only $500 cash. If you want a good place in the country look this up. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton block. a30

FOR SALE—ARTICLES

FOR SALE—Launch, 25 ft. 6 in., 8 h. p. engine. Box 991, Times. a29

SECOND-HAND FURNITURE — Beds, bureaus, washstands, tables, chairs, stoves, refrigerators, meat safes, tinware, crockeryware and all kinds of goods for the household, at 901 Yates street. a29

WARDROBE FOR SALE, extension table and oilcloth. 337 Michigan St. a8

EXCELLENT MOTOR BIKE. Phone 405. m4

FOR SALE—Self playing piano, quite new. Apply 1624 Government street. ap29

FOR SALE—Split bamboo rods, $2.50; hunting knives, $1; Midget alarm clocks, $1.25; music folio, $1; nickel watches, guaranteed 3 years, $2.50; spectacles, 25c.; I. X. L. knives, 75c. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

BUY YOUR BEDSTEADS, springs, mattresses and furniture from New Furniture Store, 736 Pandora street. a29

GET A SANITARY PORTABLE BATH APPARATUS—Can be used in any room without inconvenience; running water only touches the body; the effects of the bath most invigorating. Price only $7.50. Try one, you won't regret it; all goods guaranteed. Millar will tell you all about it. 574 Hillside Ave. j31 tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

DALLAS ROAD—Corner, 8 roomed house, well built, brick basement, all conveniences, ground 100 ft. x 165; price $8,000 if sold quickly; terms to suit purchaser. H. J. Bayly, 301 Times Block. m1

DOUGLAS STREET—Large house, near the Fountain, lot 60x240, back entrance on Gorge road, house has 14 rooms, price $20,000, on terms. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. a29

A BEAUTIFUL HOME on the Gorge road, large house, 15 rooms, all modern, stables, outbuildings, lawns and shrubbery, 3½ acres of ground, price $23,000, on terms. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. a29

WILL YOU PAY RENT AFTER THIS? A modern cottage of 7 rooms and full sized basement, good lot, fruit trees, etc., inside 1 mile circle, price this week only $2,625; terms, $625 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years, or to suit purchaser. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. a29

PRESENT PRICE of 2 story, Hillside avenue, is $1,950, $400 cash; and ½ acre (no rock), Victoria West, $950, $350 cash, balance 4 years. Provis, 407 Wilson St. m1

FOR SALE—Lampson street and Douglas road, 8 room house, store and barn, with stone foundation, one acre land in fruit trees. Apply P. Bugslag, sr., Hatley Park, Colwood, B. C. a29

WANTED—Owners to list houses for sale or rent with us. Shaw Real Estate, 302 Pemberton Block. Phone 1094. m19 tf

FOR SALE—POULTRY AND EGGS

WEST'S BROWN LEGHORNS and White Plymouth Rocks are prize winners and layers. Eggs, $1.50 per setting. J. West, Third street, off Richmond road, Sub. P. O. No. 1.

EGGS FOR HATCHING, from imported English strain of White Leghorns, trap-nested for heavy laying; also Black Minorcas and Barred Plymouth Rocks, $1 per setting, $6 per 100. Apply Scott & Peden. m14

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Between Douglas street terminus and Fernwood road, pebble brooch, name engraved. Reward, 610 Pandora street. m1

LOST—An amethyst and pearl brooch, on or near Pemberton road. Reward upon returning to Mrs. Nash, 1005 Pemberton road. a28 tf

LOST—A lady's hand bag, containing pass book, Bank of Montreal, Prince Rupert, and $80 in bills. Liberal reward if returned to A. E. Mallett, manager R. G. Dun & Co., city. a29

LOST—Off Trial Island, a small white rowboat, containing two pairs oars and rowlocks. Finder please notify 1526 Dallas road. a29

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

FARMERS—Two young men seek work on farm, have a little experience, but willing to learn. Address Box 14, Times Office. m1

YOUNG CARPENTER, just arrived from England, requires work; low wage for regular job. Box 982, Times. a29

A FIRST-CLASS ACCOUNTANT and auditor is open for engagement in Victoria; thoroughly competent. P. O. Box 948, Victoria. m2

DRIVER wishes position, delivery wagon, married man, steady, knows city well. Address Driver, 1201 Quadra street. a29

ENGINEER, fourth class B. C. papers, married, seeks situation. P. O. Box 1024. m1

MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR SALE—LOTS

A GIFT—Two lots in the Fairfield Estate, corner property, for three days only, size of each 50x130; price for the two $1,850, good terms. Apply W. J. Cox, Chancery Chambers, 1218 Langley street. a29

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE I am instructed to offer for sale one lot on Dalton street, Victoria West, near the Esquimalt road, lot No. 8. T. Redding, 822 Catherine street, Victoria West. a29

TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Am now prepared to sell lots 6 and 7, Burleith (water front lots), separately; lot 6, with the large, well built Dunsmuir stone pier, at $2,400; and lot 7, with the fine, roomy Dunsmuir boat house, at $2,400; or the two together for $4,700. Terms, $400 cash and balance in 6, 12, 18 and 24 months at 7 per cent.; usual commission. Similar lots adjoining, but without any improvements, valued at $2,500 each. Will sell through agents only. Owner. a29

ESQUIMALT—Water front lots on Finlayson street, high and dry, no rock, beautiful view, and a few yards from car terminus, four lots, 30x130 ft. each, prices from $825 each, on good terms. Fegan & Co., Mahon Bldg. a29

SECOND AVE. AND MT. TOLMIE ROAD—One corner lot, 52x90 ft., price $650, on easy terms. Fegan & Co. a29

VIEW STREET—30x120 ft., close to Quadra street, a sound investment, for $5,000, on easy terms; and adjoining 30 ft. may be had also at the same figure if desired. Fegan & Co. a29

OLIVER AND McNEIL—This delightful double corner for sale at 25 per cent. below the market value, price $1,500, on good terms; the adjoining inside lots have been sold for $850 each, so this is a genuine snap. Fegan & Co. a29

SNAPS IN OAK BAY—$350 cash secures fine lot in block 2, Golf Links Park, price $750 ($100 under value); $500 cash secures 2 fine lots, corner, on McNeil and Oliver streets, only $1,550 for both, this is $200 less than present value. Snaps in Parkdale—50 ft. lots, near Burnside road: $100 cash, price $350, lot on Regina avenue; $150 cash, price $375, fine lot on Crease avenue; $125 cash, price $400, lot on Regina avenue. The Exchange Real Estate Company, 718 Fort street. Phone 1737. a29

NIAGARA STREET—Fine building lot, close to Menzies; price, on terms, $2,000. National Realty Co., 1232 Government street. m1

WORKINGMEN—You can buy a cheap lot from me, just outside of city limits, from $350 and up, easy terms. Apply W. J. Cox, Chancery Chambers, 1218 Langley street. a29

FINE BUILDING SITE—Two of the best lots on Harbinger avenue, will sell together or separately. National Realty Co., 1232 Government street. m1

I HAVE a few good building lots for sale, close in; will accept any reasonable offer as owner is leaving city; no agents. Box 516, Times. m3

ESQUIMALT—Lang Cove, one fine large lot, with 53 ft. frontage, located just opposite the dry dock; this is a real bargain for $2,100, as the adjoining properties have been sold for nearly half as much again. Fegan & Co. a29

TWO LOTS on Albany street, $800 each. Owner, J. E. McKenzie, 794 Hillside Ave. Phone 324. m27

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with G. S. Leighton, 725 Fort street. Phone 2588. j2 tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for light house work. 715 Superior street. Phone R1669. m4

EXPERIENCED salesladies wanted at once, none but experienced need apply. Angus Campbell & Co. m1

WANTED—General servant. Apply to Mrs. D. McKenzie, corner Dominion road and Florence street. Phone M2413. a28 tf

WANTED—Agents, ladies or gentlemen, guarantee good pay. Apply 744 Fisguard street. m1

WANTED—General servant, thoroughly competent, and who can help with plain cooking. Apply immediately, 117 South Turner street. m1

WANTED—Maid for general house work. Mrs. A. E. Christie, 604 Linden Ave. a27 tf

WANTED—Good general servant. 1402 Stadacona avenue. a27 tf

GOOD ARM WAITRESS, $10 a week; 6 days a week. Olympus Cafe. a23

WANTED—A strong girl to assist operators. Apply F. Jeune & Bro., tent factory, 570 Johnson street. a1tf

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—An office boy, and to help in mail room. Apply Times Office. a28 tf

WANTED—Boys or girls at "My Choice" Cigar Factory, Oriental Alley. m4

WANTED—Experienced butter maker, also driver for delivery wagon. Victoria Creamery. m1

THE AGENCY for Victoria of a first-class non-board fire insurance company is shortly to be placed. Applications, giving full information re ability to represent the company satisfactorily, may be mailed within the next week to P. O. Box 1351, Vancouver, B. C. m3

WANTED—A boy, between 12 and 14 years of age to make himself useful on a chicken ranch; state wages expected. Box 1000, Times. m1

WANTED—A strong boy over 16 years. Apply Big Horn Factory, Bastion Square. a29

SALESMEN, on strictly commission basis. If you have ever made good you will make better. P. O. Box 734. m3

WANTED—6 shoe salesmen. Apply White's Shoe Store, 909 Government. a25 tf

WANTED—At once, strong, capable woman to assist in house cleaning. Apply 918 Cook street. a29

LEARN AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—Home lessons; $25 weekly job guaranteed; $10 weekly while learning. Rochester Auto School, 1752 Rochester, N.Y. m22

WANTED — Two industrious salesmen with good references to sell best advertising proposition to retail merchants. Commission $50 cash on each order when shipped. Hustlers can average 15 orders monthly. Address B., Box 413, Iowa City, Iowa.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—Good riding horse, with first-rate equipment, eighty dollars. Apply C. White, P. O. Box 1569, Victoria. m1

FOR SALE—Team bay horses, age five, weight about 2,700, in good condition. Apply 610 Cormorant street. m1

FOR SALE—Reliable family horse and phaeton, with harness. Apply 1135 Catherine street, Victoria West. m4

FOR SALE—Pedigreed Berkshire boar. J. F. Smith, Imperial Oil Co., Victoria. a29

FOR SALE—Brood sow (Yorkshire). M. Arbuckle, Strawberryvale. a29

HORSES, HORSES, HORSES—Carload arrived; teams, 3,200 lbs.; several good delivery horses, 1,300 lbs.; several good brood mares; all excellent stock; four and five years old. Postal brings them to any part of city. A. E. Cameron, Gordon Head, B. C. a29

HORSES FOR SALE. Apply Jepsen's Transfer, 343 Michigan street. Phone 1982. m29

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms. 1118 Cook street. a29

TO RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. 1104 Yates street. m4

SUITE of nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, near Fountain. 600 Gorge road. m20

MISCELLANEOUS.

CARPENTERS—Attend the mass meeting in Broad Street Hall (3 doors from Yates street), on Saturday evening next at 7 p. m. All are invited. a29

TO LET—One acre, fruit trees, etc., 4 room cottage, only, per month, $16. New apartment rooms, just next to Balmoral Hotel, furnished or unfurnished. H. P. Winsby, Tel. 714, 1122 Government street, upstairs. a29

OFFICE TO RENT in Mahon Block. Apply Hannington & Jackson, barristers, Room 14, Mahon Block. m1

SHACKS or small cottages of any design erected at small cost. Philip Turner, Maywood P. O. m24

DOROTHY TEA ROOM, 1006 Broad, Pemberton Block. Breakfasts, light lunches, afternoon teas. m26

CHILDREN'S GARMENTS, ladies' tailored waists and underwear made. Address 2915 Cook street. m5

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having baggage stored at the Clarence Hotel, Victoria, B.C., are hereby notified to call and pay charges thereon, otherwise same will be sold after 30 days from date to defray expenses. Dated April 1st, 1911. Henry Harris, Prop. my1

MOTHERS—You are sure to get nice photos of the children at Jones' Studio, Esquimalt. m22

MISS WILSON, dressmaker, 2035 Oak Bay avenue. Phone 977. a14

CAPITAL CARPENTER AND JOBBING FACTORY—Alfred Jones, builder and contractor. Estimates given on houses, buildings, fence work, alterations, etc. 1003 Yates street. Office Phone L1828. Res., R1003.

REMOVAL NOTICE

J. W. BOLDEN, carpenter and jobber, moved to 1616 Cook street. Phone 1308.

THOMAS CATTERALL, builder and general contractor, has removed to 92 Fort street, above Quadra. Tel. 820.

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS for respectable men at 732 Pandora street. m2

TWO MEN can have comfortable room and board. Apply 2026 Fernwood road, close to Spring Ridge car line. m1

ROOM AND BOARD—Beautifully situated, near Gorge, terms moderate. Apply Griffett, 1237 Sunnyside Ave. m28

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET, 2009 Cook street. Phone L2675. m26

TO RENT—Comfortably furnished room, for one or two young men; breakfast if desired. 647 Niagara street, near park. m1

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS to rent, $8 each. 514 Beta street, before 5, after 6. a29

FURNISHED or unfurnished apartments, hot and cold water, heat, light, in new apartment house; no children. Mount Edwards, Vancouver street. Phone 2342. m3

TO LET—1133 Fort street, nicely furnished rooms, breakfast if desired. m2

TO RENT—Comfortably furnished rooms, with or without board, for respectable young men. 1043 Sutlej, off Vancouver. m25

WANTED—Two men to share room and board. 1043 Sutlej, off Vancouver. m25

TO LET—Furnished bedroom. 1052 Mason. a29

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOMS. 1642 Yates street. m17

ROOMS TO LET, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 14 San Juan. Phone R612.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT, breakfast if desired. 421 Parry street. m3

HANDSOME FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with use of kitchen, quiet, pleasant house, with large garden, right on car line. Mrs. Walker, city limits, Esquimalt road. Phone M1627.

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances. Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

PIANO-PLAYER WANTED—Must be in first-class condition. Particulars to P. O. Box 878, city. m1

ENGLISH GENTLEMAN wishes to purchase home within a few miles of Victoria, 5 to 20 acres, with good house; must have good fishing in near vicinity; will pay a reasonable price for suitable place up to $10,000. Apply Post Office Box 152, Vancouver, B. C. m1

WANTED—A lot, close in, must be cheap for cash; state price and location. Box 995, Times. m1

WANTED—Tent, about 10x20 or larger. Box 989, Times. a29

OFFERS WANTED for the burning of the uprooted stumps on about 1½ acres of land on Esquimalt car line, near Sailors' Home (lot 46). Fetherston, Mount Tolmie P. O. m2

NEW AND SECOND-HAND GOODS WANTED—Highest cash price paid for cast-off clothing, boots and shoes, carpenters' tools, pistols, shotguns, trunks, valises, etc. Phone or send a card and we will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN PROBATE:

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOUIS GREGORY McQUADE, late of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Ship Chandler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased who died on the 12th day of March, 1911, at the City of Victoria, B. C., are required to send to E. M. Johnson, No. 618 Broughton Street, Victoria, B. C., one of the Executors of the said Estate, on or before the 24th day of May, 1911, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of securities, if any, held by them; and all persons indebted to the Estate of the said deceased are hereby required forthwith to pay their indebtedness to the said Executors:

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 24th day of May, 1911, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Estate among the persons respectively entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Executors shall then have had notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for any claims of which they shall not have received notice at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 20th day of April, 1911.

MORESBY & O'REILLY,
Of Imperial Bank Chambers, Corner of Yates and Government Streets, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

PLANTS

PLANTS—Cabbage and bedding plants of all kinds. Apply corner Boleskin and Carey roads, or Phone 1579. m3

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WOMAN wants to do washing at home. Box 947, Times. m2

LAND ACT.

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.

Take notice that Samuel G. Parker, of Bella Coola, occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 237, on the west side of South Bentinck Arm, thence west 80 chains, thence south 20 chains to timber lease 17506 and B. C. D. Co.'s Lot 149, thence east 80 chains more or less to the shore line of South Bentinck Arm, thence north 20 chains along the shore line to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

SAMUEL G. PARKER.
B. FILLIP JACOBSEN, Agent.
September 10th, 1910.

STREET LETTER BOXES

Letter-boxes will be found at the following points:

Washington.
Maywood.
Burnside.
Redding's (Victoria West).
Robinson's (Craigflower road).
Sub-office 5.
John and Bridge streets.
Hillside Ave. and Douglas street.
Douglas street and King's road.
King's road and Blanchard street.
Fernwood road and Gladstone Ave.
Caledonia Ave. and Chambers street.
Belcher street and Cadboro Bay road.
Richmond and Cadboro Bay roads.
Foul Bay and Cadboro Bay roads.
Foul Bay and Oak Bay roads.
Davie street and Oak Bay road.
Richmond and Oak Bay roads.
Rockland and Oak Bay avenues.
Oak Bay Junction.
Stanley and Oak Bay avenues.
Yates street and Fernwood road.
Belcher and Moss streets.
Moss street and Fairfield road.
Humboldt street, near the hospital.
Toronto and Young streets.
Niagara and Government streets.
Niagara and Menzies streets.
Niagara and Oswego streets.
Niagara and Montreal streets.
St. Lawrence and Montreal streets.
Ontario street and Dallas road.
Michigan and Montreal streets.
Michigan and Oswego streets.
Michigan and Menzies streets.
Quebec and Montreal streets.
Quebec and Oswego streets.
Quebec and Menzies streets.
C. P. R. Wharf.
McClure and Collinson streets.
Vancouver and Richardson streets.
Vancouver and Belcher streets.
Fort and Cook streets.
Cook street and Pandora Ave.
Vancouver and Yates streets.
Pandora Ave. and Quadra street.
Quadra and Pioneer streets.
Chatham and Government streets.
Store and Discovery streets.
Store and Johnson streets.
Bastion Square.
Old Post Office.
Government and Johnson streets.
Government and Fisguard streets.
City Hall.
King Edward hotel.
Douglas and Yates streets.
Dominion hotel.
Fort and Blanchard streets.
View and Broad streets.
Pemberton Block.
Fort and Government streets.

Newspaper boxes are situated as follows:

Maywood.
Robinson's (Craigflower road).
Douglas street and King's road.
Caledonia Ave. and Chambers street.
Oak Bay Junction.
Niagara and Menzies streets.
Fort and Cook streets.
Old Post Office.
City Hall.

VANCOUVER BAKESHOPS.

Question of Appointment of Inspector Before Health Committee.

Vancouver, April 28.—The question of the appointment of bakeshop inspector came up for a somewhat lengthy discussion at the meeting of the health committee, and there were some knotty points in the debate which created a troublesome problem. A letter from Mayor Taylor was read stating that Alfred Coombs had been highly recommended for the newly created position, while a report from the chief of police stated that he declined to have anything to do with the matter unless he was at liberty to select his own appointee.

There was some doubt at first as to whether the office came within the jurisdiction of the police department or the health department, some arguments seeming to favor one view and some the other. Dr. Underhill, the medical health officer, stated that the by-laws provided for the appointment by heads of departments of their own officers, and he for one did not want any man who came recommended by the mayor or by any of the aldermen. The recommendation would carry with it the right of appeal to a higher power than himself and would make the proper conduct of his office an impossibility. Dr. Underhill added that the heads of two other departments besides himself had declared that they would resign instantly if they were ever deprived of the power to make their own appointments. No one present at the meeting knew anything of the man recommended, and Alderman Crowe stated that it looked like an attempt to shift the appointment upon the health committee. The matter was eventually evaded entirely by an explanation that there was no provision in the estimates for such a proposition, and the matter was referred to the police commissioners.

POLICE PRESENT MEDAL.

Revelstoke, April 28.—The local police force has presented A. W. Duck with a handsome gold medal, for the assistance rendered them in making the arrest of Robert Armstrong during the fracas in the Dominion Express Company's office on March 5. Mr. Duck was the victim who was belabored over the head during the melee. He has almost completely recovered from the effects of the beating but still has a slight defect in his sight.

ROSS' SATURDAY "SNAPS"

ENGLISH VARIETIES (Candies), to-day, lb.....25¢
FRUIT JELLIES (simply scrumptious), to-day, lb.....25¢
BOILED "SWEETS" in bottles, exceedingly nice; absolutely pure. Bottle, $1.00 or .....25¢
SLICED LEMON CLING PEACHES, 2 tins.....25¢
TUCKFIELD'S SAUCE, 2 large bottles.....25¢
SMYRNA COOKING FIGS, 4 lbs.....25¢
GALLON TINS TOMATOES, tin.....35¢
PUMPKINS, 3 tins.....25¢
"PURE GOLD," also SHIRRIFF'S TABLE JELLIES, both excellent brands; 4 packets .....25¢

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

Independent Grocers 1317 Government St.
1316 Broad St. Tels. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. Tel. 1590.

Bargain Lots

Close on Route of New Burnside Carline

These lots are only 10 minutes from end of Douglas car and are some of the cheapest in Victoria.

60 ft. x 120, all good land.

Lot on Regina Ave., price, $350; $100 cash and $15 a month.

Lot on Crease Ave., next to corner of Seaton, price $375; $150 cash and $15 month.

Lot on Regina Ave., price $400; $125 cash and $12 a month.

Also a snap on Asquith street, 5 minutes from Spring Ridge car; $400 cash and $15 a month; price $500.

The Exchange Real Estate Co., Ltd.
718 Fort Street Phone 1737

Maynard & Son

AUCTIONEERS

Important Sale

OF

Valuable Residential Property of 3½ Acres on Rockland Ave.

Instructed by Major Bennett we will sell on the premises

"The Laurels" 1249 Rockland Ave.

—on—

Friday, May 5th

2 p.m.

This valuable property consists of 3½ acres of ground and large modern 21-room dwelling house. The grounds to this property are magnificently laid out in shrubs, hollies, etc., and a very fine lawn, beautiful ornamental trees that have taken years to grow. This property must be seen to be appreciated and can be viewed at any time by applying to us, where further particulars can also be had. We will have photos of the place at our office this week.

The furniture will be sold on Thursday and Friday, May 4th and 5th.

MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers
1214 Broad Street.

Davies & Sons

AUCTIONEERS

Offices: 565 Yates St. Phone 472

PRIVATE SALE

Large Quantity of Goods Stoves, Linoleums, Etc.

At Salesrooms, 565 Yates St.

The London Second-Hand Exchange Co.

We pay the highest cash price for cast-off clothing, such as ladies' and gents' boots and shoes, hats, all kinds of tools, guns and pistols. All kinds of books bought.

STERN & FLASH.
1601 Store Street. Telephone 1128.

Stewart Williams & Co.

AUCTIONEERS

Duly instructed by G. U. Copeman, Esq., will sell by Public Auction at his Farm, "Waverley," East Saanich Rd., on

Monday, May 1st

AT 11 O'CLOCK, HIS

Livestock, Implements Poultry, Household Furniture, Etc.

Including: Team of good, useful Horses about 1300 each, quiet driving and riding Mare, "Brown Lena," Standard-bred Mare, 6 years old; 1 Bay Gelding, 8 years old, 1300 lbs.; 1 Sorrel Mare, 6 years old, 1080 lbs.; 1 Black Gelding, 5 years old; 1 Bay Mare, 1150 lbs; 1 Extension Top Carriage, 6 grade Jersey Cows, 4 Yorkshire Sows (2 in pig), 3 dozen Chickens, Shetland Mare and Cart (perfectly quiet), Child's Saddle, 4 Hives of Bees, one Heifer Calf, 4 tons of Hay, Deering Seeder (Grass seed attachment, 13 Discs), Bain Waggon, Stump Puller with 150 feet of cable; Chaff Cutter, Root Pulper, Heavy and Light Harness, Rubber Tyred Buggy, Melotte Separator, "Petaluma" Incubator, Horse Rake, Deering Mower, Cultivators, Ploughs, Teeth and Disc Harrows, a quantity of good Carpenter's Tools, Garden Tools, Steel Tyred Buggy, Cream Cans, Milk Cans, Brooders, and a quantity of other accessories of use on an up-to-date farm.

At the same time they will dispose of a quantity of

Household Furniture

including first-class "Monarch" Range (nearly new), Writing Desk, Extension Table, Double Iron Bedstead and Mattresses, 2 Bedroom Suites, Chairs, and other goods too numerous to mention.

Lunch will be served on the grounds. Take the morning train to Keatings, V. & S. Ry.

The Auctioneer - Stewart Williams.

Pocket Knives and Scissors

Little things, but they are important to many. True goods, honest values, real cheapness, obvious goodness or no admittance to our stock. Our prices will surprise you when you note the fine quality of the goods.

PENKNIVES AND POCKET KNIVES, pearl handled, $2.25 to.....35¢

SCISSORS, 50 different kinds, $2.50 to.....25¢

DRAKE Hardware Co.
1418 Douglas Street
Phone 1646

READ TIMES WANT ADS

IMPORTANT SALE

—OF—

English Furniture

—BY—

Waring & Gillow of London

Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by R. Dunn, Esq., who is leaving for Europe, will sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, MAY 9

at 2 o'clock, at his Residence on the East Saanich Road, opposite the French menagerie, 10 minutes' walk from the end of the Douglas St. car line, the whole of his valuable and nearly new

English Furniture

by Waring & Gillow of London, after designs by the well known Craftsman SHERATON, including:—

Solid English oak Extension Table, 8 ft.; 6 solid oak Dining Chairs, upholstered in leather; handsome oak Sideboard, carved, with British Plate Glass Mirror, Period Tudor; two solid oak Carving Chairs, upholstered in leather; solid oak Overmantel, with British Plate Glass Mirror; very fine solid oak Bookcase and Writing desk, combined; velvet Table Cover; 2 pairs Lace Curtains and Poles; several Sporting Prints; "The Return From Calvary," by Schmaltz; "Baby" Grand Piano, by Richard Lipp & Son, of Stuttgart, in Inlaid Satin Wood Case, after Sheraton; Music Stool to match; very old Sheraton China Cabinet, in splendid order; Settee, upholstered in Pink Silk Brocade; Satinwood Settee, upholstered in Eau de Nil Silk Brocade; Satinwood Arm Chair, upholstered in Eau de Nil Silk Brocade; Satinwood Arm Chair, upholstered in Pink Silk Brocade; High Backed Mahogany Chair; inlaid satinwood Lady's Writing Table, after Sheraton; inlaid satinwood Work Table, after Sheraton; inlaid satinwood Round Table, after Sheraton; very handsome British Plate Glass Mirror; very heavy brass Coal Scuttle, after Sheraton; inlaid Clock, by Camerer, Kuss & Co., London, after Sheraton; 2 very fine Water Colors, by H. C. Fox; "Spring" colored Engraving, after Alma Tadema; 2 Artist's Proofs, signed Alma Tadema; embroidered White Satin Table Centre; Wilton Carpet, 15 x 10; Turkish Rug, 9 x 12; very handsome pair of Sevres Vases, mounted in brass; several old Dresden Plates; very handsome Bedroom Suite, mahogany, inlaid with satinwood, etc., comprising large Wardrobe, 6 ft. by 8 ft., with 2 Dress Cupboards with B. P. Glass Mirrors, Drawers and Hat Cupboards, Handsome Dressing Table with B. P. Mirror, Marble Topped Washstand, very Handsome Bedstead, Pedestal Cabinet, Overmantle, 2 Chairs, Towel Horse and Mattresses. The whole is a copy of Sheraton Work. Handsome Double Toilet Sets, Up. Mahogany Chairs, Wilton Carpet, Large English Carved Oak Cupboard, Inlaid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, comprising Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Washstand, Pedestal Cabinet, 2 Chairs; Long Turkish Runner, Axminster Stair Carpet, Stair Rods and Pads, Dinner Service, English Cut Glass Table Ware, comprising 1 Doz. each Ports, Sherries, Clarets, Champagnes, Tumblers, Finger Bowls, also Decanters and Water Bottles to match; very fine Old English Cut Glass Jug and Goblets, Handsome Solid Silver Mounted Toilet Set comprising 2 Hair Brushes, Mirror, Clothes and Hat Brushes, and other goods too numerous to mention. Cards can be obtained to view the goods.

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co., duly instructed by R. Dunn, Esq., will offer for sale by Public Auction at the same time they dispose of the Furniture, on May 9th, his NEW HOUSE consisting of 9 rooms, bathroom and pantry, situated on 5 Large Lots, containing about 1¾ acres, all cleared and situated on the East Saanich Road and Dunn Avenue. Cards to view the property can be obtained from

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AUCTIONEERS

Duly instructed by E. A. Carew-Gibson, Esq., will sell by Public Auction on

Wednesday, May 3rd

At 1309 Stanley Ave. (corner of Fort St.), at 2 o'clock sharp, the whole of the

Household Furniture and Effects

contained therein, including: Very handsome oak Dining Table, 10 walnut Dining Chairs, solid oak Sideboard, Oc. Tables, Engravings, Oil Paintings, Fender, Wilton Carpet, Chenille and Lace Curtains, Ebonized Drawing Room Suite, 7-piece Cane and Rattan Chairs, Card Table, Bearskin, Piano and Music Stool, Brussels Carpets, walnut Table, Clock, Rugs, upholstered Arm Chairs, oak Cabinet, very large Bookcase, Sofa, oak Table, carved oak Hall Chair, stuffed Panther, good Range, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Dinner Service, a quantity of Glassware, Cutlery, Electro Plated Ware, Household Linen, Cushions, Pillows, Blankets, the contents of 5 Bedrooms, containing Bedsteads, Mattresses, Bureaus, Washstands, Tables, Chairs, Toilet Ware, Mirrors, Carpets, Rugs and other goods too numerous to mention.

On view Tuesday, May 2nd.

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams.

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Splendid Showing of Towels

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This beautiful weather means more towels, because it suggests a morning dip. You can't have too many towels in the home, and it's not nice to have too few. You no doubt have many visitors in the summer days spending a holiday with you, therefore you want more towels in your home. It is a great mistake with many people when buying this article —that we cannot do without—to buy cheap towels. When we say cheap towels, we mean the kind that you are told are cheap. Yes, the price seems cheap, but how long will they last you? They are the kind that are in tatters in a week. Now, we have a splendid variety of good towels, wearing towels, the kind that will last, and you'll find them cheap after you have had them in your bathroom for a few years. Here are a few of our prices, which are most reasonable.

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FRESH RIPE TOMATOES, lb. .....20¢
NEW POTATOES, lb. .....10¢
FRESH GREEN PEAS, lb. .....15¢
FRESH CUCUMBERS, each .....25¢
FRESH LARGE GRAPE FRUIT, 3 for .....25¢
JUICY NAVEL ORANGES, dozen 50c, 35c and .....25¢
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MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers.

POPULATING THE NORTH.

Over 250 People are Operating Land at Holberg, Near Quatsino Arm.

The local branch of the Vancouver Island Development League is in receipt of a letter from the secretary of the branch located at Holberg, away at the north end of the Island, near Quatsino Arm. The letters tenders the gratifying information that that particular district, which is favored with some of the richest tracts of land on the Island, is being peopled rapidly.

There are at the present time over 250 people operating land, and the productiveness of the soil and the temperate nature of the climate make living at once easy and enjoyable. The letter also refers to the question of trunk telephones, which was taken up at the annual meeting of the league in Victoria a few weeks ago. It states that the installation of the trunk lines to that part of the Island would be of inestimable value, both commercially and socially, and it urges that steps be taken to bring about its realization. At the present time the matter is before the Dominion government in the form of a memorial.

The practice recently suggested of inviting the farmers on the Island to communicate with the branch of the league to which they are nearest has already borne good fruit. Just the other day a Saanich farmer was in need of a young assistant, and within twenty-four hours of his application he had engaged the services of a young man from the Old Country who had called up at the local office to enquire if there was any possibility of him obtaining just such a job as the one he is now in possession of. This example is but one of the many similar instances that might occur almost daily throughout the Island.

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